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GOLD

- GAUL, AULERCI CENOMANI, LE MANS;** 2nd Century BC, Stater, 7.08g. De La Tour-6847. Obv: Celticized head of Apollo r. Rx: Celticized horse with human head prancing r. A pleasant piece with good centering, but weakly struck on one edge, at lower right on obverse and lower left on reverse. Some minor pitting. VF 1500
 - CELTIC, STRUCK DURING CAESAR'S GALLIC WARS;** c. 60-50 BC, Stater, 5.81g. Van Arsdell-52. Obv: Blank with hammer marks. Rx: Disjointed horse right. Obverse die totally worn. Reverse EF 650
 - BRITAIN, ATREBATES & REGNI;** 55-45. BC, Stater, 6.14g. Van Arsdell-216-1 var. (no spokes on wheel). Obv: Plain. Rx: Stylized, mane-less horse with triple tail galloping r.; above, deformed charioteer; below, center pellet of wheel. Obverse die completely worn, otherwise. EF 1000
 - CELTIC BRITAIN, CORIELTAUVI, UNINSCRIBED COINAGE;** c. 45 BC, Stater, 6.22g. Van Arsdell-805-11 var. Evans, Coins of the Ancient Britons, p. 57, pl. A, no.12. Obv: Celtic laureate head r. Rx: Disjointed horse to l. EF 2100
 - BRITAIN, TRINOVANTES, TASCIOVANUS THIRD COINAGE;** 15-10 BC, Quarter Stater, 1.32g. Van Arsdell-1786-1. Obv: Wreath, on which tablet inscribed TASC. Rx: Stylized Pegasus l. EF 1200
 - UNCERTAIN CITY IN IONIA;** 625-600 BC, EL Stater, 14.28g. Weidauer-139 (6 recorded). Obv: Forepart of bridled horse left, with loose mane. Rx: Three-part incuse, rectangle in center, square to either side. For an issue that is generally poorly struck this is as complete as they come. EF 18000
 - UNCERTAIN IONIA, GEOMETRIC TYPE;** c. 600-550 BC, EL Trite, 4.55g. Not in Weidauer. K. Konuk, From Kroisos to Karia: early Anatolian Coins from the Muharrem Kayhan Collection, Istanbul, 2003, 8. M.-M. Bendoun, Coins of the Ancient World, A portrait of the JDL Collection, Tradart, Genève, 2009, 24. Obv: Geometric pattern in the shape of a four-rayed star divided into four parts by a cross. Rx: Incuse rectangle with geometric ornaments. EF 3000
 - LYDIA, ALYATTES;** 610-560 BC, EL Trite, 2.33g. Weidauer-101. Obv: Confronted lions' heads (only the left-hand one is visible); Lydian WALWEL between. Rx: Two square punches. Struck with somewhat rusty dies. Bold VF 2500
 - IONIA, PHOCAEA;** c. 625-600 BC, 1/48 Stater, 0.28g. Bodenstein-E2, Vs a, Rs a. Obv: Head of griffin to left. Rx: Irregular four-part incuse square. Incredibly well-struck tiny fraction of Phocaean. Mint State 3000
 - MYDIA, CYZICUS;** c. 550-475 BC, EL Hecte (1/6 Stater), 2.70g. cf. von Fritze-39, pl. I, 40 (stater), Boston-1413, Rosen-432. Obv: Lioness head l. with mouth closed, tunny fish upward behind. Rx: Four-part incuse square. Nicely centered with good relief. Tunny fish partly off flan; four short edge cracks. aEF 3000
 - MYDIA, CYZICUS;** c. 550-475 BC, EL Hecte (1/6 Stater), 2.66g. von Fritze-93, pl. iii, 12 (stater), Boston-1470, SNG von Aulock-1193, SNG Paris BN-231. Obv: Dog l. on tunny fish l., forelegs extended in semi-crouch, one paw raised, tail curled up over back. Rx: Four-part incuse square. In exceptional condition for the type, though with the normal flan cracks and irregular edges. The central features of the dog and tunny are unaffected except that the dog's tail is partly off flan and one of his hind legs lost in a crack. Lovely detail and nice relief. A most pleasant specimen. aEF 2900
- Ex Jameson Collection and many other sales**
- SICILY, SYRACUSE;** 400-370 BC, 100 Litrae, 5.79g. Berend-39.1 (this coin). Obv: Head of Arethusa with hair up in splendone; behind crescent. Rx: Herakles strangling the

- Nemean lion. Ex M&M Basel 52, 1975, lot 86. Ex Hess-Leu 31, 1966, lot 146. Ex Hess-Leu 3, 1956, lot 206. Ex Jameson Collection, No. 2432. Ex Ars Classica XIII, 1928, lot 310. Ex Sotheby's London, 1908, lot 216 and from the O'Hagan Collection. Some die rust on cheek of Arethusa. Tiny scrape on obverse at 10:00. Magnificent reverse. About EF / Choice EF 24000
- MACEDONIA, PHILIP II, 357-336 BC;** Magnesia, c. 323-15 BC, Stater, 8.57g. Le Rider-pl. 90, 15, Thompson-2, SNG ANS-310. Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ Fast biga r., bee under horses' forelegs, spearhead in exergue. MS 9500
 - MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT;** 336-323 BC. Amphipolis, Lifetime issue, Distater, 17.13g. Price-191, Müller-4. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Elegant Nike standing l. holding wreath and with thunderbolt symbol l. and A symbol below. About EF 18000
 - MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT;** 336-323 BC. Sidon, c. 333-305 BC. Stater, 8.58g. Price-3461. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Nike standing l. holding wreath and standard, winged thunderbolt in r. field. Interesting variation with a griffin on helmet. Somewhat uneven surfaces. EF 3850
 - MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT;** c. 311-305 BC, Stater, 8.51g. Price-3748. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Nike standing l., holding wreath, MI in l. field, monogram in wreath in r. field. Choice EF 4400

Rare Pixodarus 1/12 Stater

- CARIA, PIXODARUS;** c. 341/0-336/5 BC, 1/12 Stater, 0.68g. BMC-p. 184, 3, pl. XXVIII, 11; SNG Cop-595; SNG von Aulock-2373. Obv: Wreathed head of Apollo l. Rx: ΠΙΞΟΔΑΡΑ Zeus Labraundos standing right, holding labrys, left hand on staff resting on ground. The youngest son of Hecatomnos, Pixodaros was one of the later satraps of Caria. His elder brothers Maussollos and Idrieus had ruled before him. As one of the grandes of the Persian empire, Pixodaros was a major player in Aegean politics. When he started negotiations with the Macedonian court, he wanted to have his daughter Ada marry king Philip II, but Philip's son Alexander interfered, trying to secure the Carian princess for himself. This was the conflict that led to the serious quarrel between the ambitious prince and his father, shortly before Philip was murdered in 336 BC. Eventually Pixodaros had his daughter marry a Persian aristocrat. As he died before Alexander launched his attack on the Persian empire in 334 BC, he did not experience Alexander's conquest of his satrapy that was supported by Pixodaros' sister. His rare gold coins reveal his high ambitions, however. Exceedingly rare type with only a few specimens showing up in the market in the last several years. Our piece is slightly off-center but with an attractive image of Apollo and a great high-relief strike. VF+ 3500
- PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY II;** Struck under Ptolemy II, c. 253/2, Mnaeion (Otetradrachm), 27.63g. SNG Cop-134 var. (different symbol), Svoronos-476. Obv: Head of Arsinoe II r., wearing diadem, stephane and veil, behind A. Rx: ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ - ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ Double cornucopia bound with fillet. EF 11500
- PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY IV;** 221-204 BC Alexandria, c. 217 BC, Mnaeion or One-Mina Piece (formerly Otetradrachm), 27.76g. SNG Cop-196, Svoronos-1117. Obv: Radiate and diademed bust r. of deified Ptolemy III wearing aegis with trident resting on his shoulder. Rx: Radiate cornucopia bound with royal diadem, regal title around. Some flat striking at the high points of the crown, otherwise lustrous choice EF 13750
- ZEUGITANIA, CARTHAGE;** c. 340-320 BC, EL 1/5 Stater, 1.53g. Jenkins-134, Group III, SNG Cop-135. SNG Milan-Tav. XV, 2-4. Obv: Head of Tanit with single drop earring. Rx: Horse right with head reverted. This is an extremely beautiful 1/5 stater. These rarely

- appear and almost never this flawless. There are thousands of staters and a bare handful of this issue. FDC.....5000
21. **KUSHANO-SASSANIAN EMPIRE. WAHRAM KUSHANSHAH I**; Late 4th century AD, Stater, 7.71g. Göbl-714. Obv: King standing left, sacrificing at altar, holding trident; in right field, swastika. Rx: Shiva standing facing; behind, bull Nandi standing left. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 324. Probably less than five recorded. Toned Good VF.....2000
 22. **KUSHAN. LATER KUSHAN KINGS**; c. 5th century AD. Kashmir Mint, Dinar, 8.04g. Göbl, Donum Burns-1605. Obv: King left, holding staff, sacrificing over altar to left; tamgha to inner left. Rx: Ardoshir seated facing. VF.....350
 23. **BRUTUS**; Civil War, 44-42 BC, Gold Stater, Thrace, Callatis, 8.30g. Rx: Athena seated. In the name of Lysimachus, bearing portrait of Alexander III the Great. Mint State. Mint State.....1500
 24. **TITUS AS CAESAR**; 70-79 AD, Rome, 76 AD, Aureus, 7.20g. RIC-859 (R2), pl. 9 = BM-190, pl. 5.19 (same dies); Calicó-736 (same rev. die); C-55 (BM, 50 Fr.). Obv: T CAESAR - IMP VESPASIAN Head laureate r. Rx: COS V in upper field, heifer walking l. Substantially rarer with the heifer walking left as here, rather than right. "The heifer is unquestionably the famous statue of Myron which had been placed by Augustus in the 'Porticus Apollonis' and was transferred by Vespasian to the temple of Peace" (BMC, p. xxxviii). Numerous contact marks, otherwise. EF.....8000
 25. **HONORIUS**; 393-423 AD, Ravenna, 402-23 AD, Solidus, 4.46g. RIC-1287 (S), Depeyrot-7/1 (p. 188, 763 spec.), C-44 (20 Fr.). Obv: D N HONORI - VS P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: VICTORI - A AVGGG Emperor standing r. placing l. foot on groin of bearded captive seated l. on ground with hands tied behind back, and holding labarum and Victory on globe; COMOB in exergue, R - V across field. Small dig behind head of Honorius on obverse. Light scratch on reverse in front of face of emperor. Somewhat softly struck on reverse. EF.....1500
 26. **THEODOSIUS II**; 402-450 AD, Constantinople, c.430-449 AD, Solidus, 4.24g. RIC-257 (S), officina Θ=9; Berk-9; MIRB-25b. Obv: D N THEODO - SIVS P F AVG Helmeted, cuirassed bust facing, holding spear over r. shoulder and shield ornamented with rider. Rx: VOT XXX - MVLTT XXXX Θ Constantinopolis enthroned l., holding globus cruciger in r. hand and long scepter in l.; l. foot on prow, and shield by l. side. In r. field, star; in exergue, CONOB. Mint State.....1100
 27. **VALENTINIAN III**; 425-455 AD, Rome, c. 440-55 AD, Solidus, 4.45g. RIC-2014 (C). Obv: D N PLA VALENTI - NIANVS P F AVG Rosette-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust r. Rx: VICTORI - A AVGGG Valentinian standing facing, holding long cross and Victory on globe, with foot on human-headed serpent; R/M/CONOB. MS.....1600
 28. **MARCIAN**; 450-457 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.40g. RIC 510 (S), officina I=10; Berk-24; MIRB-5b. Obv: D N MARCIA - NVS P F AVG Helmeted bust facing, diademed, cuirassed, spear in r. hand held over r. shoulder behind head, on l. arm decorated shield, horseman rides down enemy on shield. Rx: VICTORI - A AVGGG I (officina 10) Victory standing l. supporting long jeweled cross. In r. field, star. In exergue, CONOB. Several hairlines in right obverse field. Near Mint State.....1800
 29. **LEO I**; 457-474 AD, Constantinople, c. 471-3 AD, Solidus, 4.46g. RIC-630 (S), officina Θ=9; Berk-13 var.; MIRB-3b. Obv: D N LEO PE - RPET AVC Bearded bust r. (pearl diadem). Rx: VICTORI - A AVGGG Θ Victory standing l., holding long decorative cross; in r. field, star; in exergue, CONOB. Scratch in right field of obverse. Mint State.....1100
 30. **ZENO**; 474-491 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.50g. RIC-911 (S), officina Δ=4; Berk-26; DO-633. Obv: D N ZENO - PERP AVG Helmeted, cuirassed bust facing, holding spear over r. shoulder and shield ornamented with rider. Rx: VICTORI - A AVGGG Δ Victory standing l. supporting long jeweled cross, star in r. field, CONOB in exergue. Mint State.....1300
 31. **ANASTASIUS I**; Constantinople, 491-518 AD, Solidus, 4.48g. DO-3a. Obv. DN ANASTA-SIVSPPAVC Helmeted bust facing, diademed, cuirassed, spear in r. hand held over r. shoulder, on l. arm decorated shield, horseman rides down enemy on shield. Rx: VICTORI-AAVCCC A (officina 1). Victoria standing l., supporting long jeweled cross, in r. field star, in exergue CONOB. A lovely example of Anastasius. This coin is sharply struck and facial details are in a great state of preservation. The reverse Victory exhibits a remarkably good strike, particularly on her gown. Mint State.....1250
 32. **ANASTASIUS I, 491-518 AD**; Constantinople, Solidus, 4.30g. Berk-30, MIB-4a, DO-3g, Sear-3. Obv: D N ANASTASIO PERP AVG Armored three-quarter facing bust of emperor. Rx: VICTORIA AVGGG I Victory standing l. holding long cross, star to r.; CONOB in exergue. Unusually flawless for this issue. These are quite common but very rare in this quality. FDC.....1650
 33. **JUSTINIAN I, 527-565 AD**; Constantinople, 542-565 AD, Tremissis, 1.49g. Sear-145, DO-19. Obv: D N IVSTINIANVS PP AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM Victory advancing r., head l., holding wreath and globus cruciger; to r., star; in exergue, CONOB. Ex Andre C. Dimitriadis Collection. Ex M&M Sale, February 1995, lot 61. Some planchet waves. MS.....675
 34. **JUSTIN II**; 565-578 AD, Ravenna, 565-578 AD, Solidus, 4.51g. Berk-70, MIB-20. Obv: D N I - VSTI - NVS PP AVI Helmeted, cuirassed bust facing, holding in r. hand globe surmounted by Victory crowning the emperor and in l. hand shield ornamented with horseman. Rx: VICTORI - A AVGGG Z (officina 7) Constantinopolis seated front, head r., holding spear and globus cruciger, CONOB in exergue. The issues of Ravenna can be separated from similar issues from Constantinople because they are more carefully struck but more importantly because they have no symbols in the left reverse field. Mint State.....2000
 35. **TIBERIUS II**; Antioch, 578-582 AD, Siliqua, 4.12g. DO-38, MIB-5, Sear-446. Obv: Armored facing bust of Tiberius holding globus cruciger. Rx: VICTORI - A AVGGG S Cross on four steps, OB+* in exergue. VF+.....1500
 36. **CONSTANS II, 641-668 AD**; Carthage, c. 659-62 AD, Solidus, 4.33g. MIB-70, S-1043. Obv: Crowned and draped facing busts of Constans, holding globus cruciger, and Constantine. Rx: Cross potent set on globe; at sides, crowned and draped facing busts of Heraclius and Tiberius. A common type, but rare in this quality. MS.....1000
 37. **CONSTANTINE IV, 668-685 AD**; Carthage, Solidus, 4.37g. MIB-25 (Sardinia), S-1189. Obv: Helmeted facing bust, holding spear over shoulder and shield. Rx: Cross potent on steps flanked by Heraclius and Tiberius. Obverse struck with a slightly rusty die but unusually nice for issue. EF.....1400
 38. **JUSTINIAN II, FIRST REIGN, 685-695 AD**; Constantinople, Semissis, 2.14g. Sear-1252, DO-10, MIB-12. Obv: [IIS C]RISTOS REX REJNANTIVM Bust of Christ facing, cross behind head; he has long hair and a full beard, wears pallium and colobium, and raises his r. hand in benediction, while holding book of Gospels in left. Rx: D IVSTINIANV - S SERV CHRISTI Justinian standing facing, wearing crown and loros, holding cross potent and akakia. Some areas of flat striking on lower left edge. EF.....3750
 39. **TIBERIUS III**; 698-705 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.42g. Sear-1360, Berk-193. Obv: D TIBERI - uS PE - AV Bust facing, with short beard, wearing crown and cuirassed and holding spear diagonally across his body and shield. Rx: VICTORIA AVÇu Δ (officina 4) Cross potent on three steps, CONOB beneath. Hairline in lower left field of reverse. EF.....1300
 40. **TIBERIUS III**; 698-705 AD, Constantinople, Solidus, 4.46g. Sear-1360, Berk-193. Obv: D TIBERIUS PE AV Bust facing, with short beard, wearing crown and cuirassed and holding spear diagonally across his body and shield. Rx: VICTORIA AVÇuS Cross potent on three steps, CONOB beneath. Slightly off-center. aEF.....1500
 41. **LEO III**; Constantinople, Solidus, 4.42g. Berk-220, DO-7, S-1504. Obv: Bust of Leo III, facing, with short beard, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger and akakia. Rx: Facing bust of Constantine V, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger and akakia. EF.....1850
 42. **CONSTANTINE V**; 741-775 AD, Constantinople, c. 751-7 AD, Solidus, 4.46g. Berk-226, DO-2, S-1551. Obv: Facing busts of Constantine V (on l.) and his son Leo IV (on r.). Rx: Facing bust of Leo III. Extremely sharp and nice relief portraits. Mint State.....2800
 43. **CONSTANTINE VI AND IRENE**; Constantinople, Solidus, 4.44g. Berk-234, DO-1, Sear-1593. Obv: Facing busts of Constantine VI, beardless on left, and Irene on right, both crowned and with cross between their heads; Constantine wears chlamys and holds globus cruciger in right hand; his mother wears loros and holds cruciform scepter in left hand; pellet in field between their faces. Rx: Leo III, Constantine V, and Leo IV seated facing, each wearing crown and chlamys. Well struck for issue with a few usual weaknesses. Mint State.....5850
 44. **CONSTANTINE VI AND IRENE**; 780-797 AD, Constantinople, c. 792-7 AD, Solidus, 4.46g. Berk-235, DO-3, Sear-1594. Obv: Bust of Irene facing, wearing crown and loros, and holding globus cruciger and cruciform scepter. Rx: Bust of Constantine VI facing, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger and akakia. Constantine's arm and some of the drapery weakly struck. Mint State.....14000
 45. **NICEPHORUS I WITH SON STAVRACIUS**; 803-811 AD, Solidus, 3.82g. Sear-1608, DO-6. Obv: Bust of Nicephorus wearing crown and loros and holding cross potent. Rx: Stauracius beardless wearing chlamys and holding globus cruciger and akakia. Rather rare issue. MS.....5000
 46. **CONSTANTINE VII AND ROMANUS II, 913-959 AD**; Constantinople, c. 950-55 AD, Solidus, 4.38g. Sear-1751, Berk-278, DO-15. Obv: Facing bust of Christ. Rx: Facing busts of Constantine VII and Romanus II, patriarchal cross between. EF.....1300
 47. **CONSTANTINE X, DUCAS**; Constantinople, 1059-1067 AD, Stamenon Nomisma, 4.14g. Sear-1848, Berk-317, DO-2. Obv: Christ seated facing on throne, wearing nimbus cruciger, pallium and colobium, and raising right hand in benediction; in left hand book of gospels. Rx: The Virgin nimbate (on right) and Constantine, bearded (on left), both standing, facing; the Virgin wears a pallium and maphorium, and with Her right hand crowns the emperor, who wears saccos and loros and holds globus cruciger. About EF.....400
 48. **MICHAEL VII 1071-1078 AD**; Constantinople, EL Stamenon Nomisma, 4.29g. Sear-1868, Berk-326, DO-2b. Obv: Christ nimbate holding gospel. Rx: Facing bust of Michael VII holding labarum and globus cruciger. EF.....395
 49. **NICEPHORUS III**; Constantinople, 1078-1081 AD, EL Stamenon Nomisma, 4.35g. Sear-1882, Berk-334, DO-2. Obv: Christ seated on throne, IC and XC to right and left of head. Rx: Nicephorus standing facing holding mappa and globus cruciger. From a private NY collection assembled in the 1960's and 1970's. EF.....375
 50. **JOHN II COMNENUS, 1118-1143**; Constantinople, Hyperpyron, 3.70g. Sear-1940, Berk-343, BN-8-9. Obv: Christ enthroned facing. Rx: Virgin and Emperor standing facing, flanking patriarchal cross. Some planchet bends on right side. EF.....450
 51. **ANDRONICUS II AND MICHAEL IX**; Constantinople, c.1295-1320 AD, Hyperpyron, 4.02g. Sear-2396, Berk-367, DO-336. Obv: Bust of the Virgin, orans, within walls of Constantinople. Rx: Andronicus I. and Michael r. kneeling on either side of Christ, who crowns both emperors. Purchased from Stack's New York (original ticket included). Poorly struck as usual, with several long, thin flan cracks. About EF.....225
- GREEK SILVER**
52. **CAMPANIA, NEAPOLIS**; c. 300-275 BC, Nomos, 7.47g. HN Italy-569, SNG ANS-356 (same reverse die). Obv: Head of nymph r., kantharos behind. Rx: Man-headed bull walking r., head facing viewer, crowned by Victory flying r.; K below bull. A coin of exceptional quality, with the reverse beautifully centered on the flan. Nearly EF.....4850
 53. **CAMPANIA, PHISTELIA**; 380-350 BC, Obol, 0.45g. BMC-4. Obv: Facing head of man, without neck. Rx: Barleycorn between mussel shell and dolphin. Ex The Frederick S. Knobloch Collection, Stack's, 10 June 1970, lot 33. Unusually sharp for issue. About EF / EF.....550
- Lovely Tarentum**
54. **CALABRIA, TARENTUM**; c. 355-340 BC, Stater, 7.93g. Fischer-Bossert-688. Obv: Horse standing r., crowned by boy rider. Rx: Dolphin rider l., holding cantharus and

- trident. Below, waves. Ex NAC 51 (2009), lot 493. Though the types seem serene, Tarentine coinage was frequently struck to finance the city's never-ending war against the indigenous tribes of the Apulian and Lucanian hinterland. The obverses of the 4th century display riders' games (in this case, a victorious boy crowns his horse), and the reverses show the mythical founder of the harbor city, Phalanthos, riding a dolphin towards the shore. A high percentage of the relevant coins were overstruck on Corinthian staters, thereby not only obliterating the undertype but also defacing the Tarentine designs. Our specimen, however, does not suffer from these typical production scars. A very lovely type with incredibly nice detail on the obverse, particularly the face and musculature of the rider. aEF.....2250
55. **CALABRIA, TARENTUM**; 302-290 BC, Nomos, 7.84g. Vlasto-573 (same obverse die), SNG ANS-980 (same dies), HN Italy-933. Obv: Warrior on horseback to right, holding round shield, two lances, and spear; ΣΙΜ below. Rx: Taras astride dolphin to left, holding spindle over left shoulder; before eagle standing right; ΤΑΡΑΣ behind and ΦΙ symbol above waves below. From the David Freeman Collection. Purchased from Baldwin's, January 2002. Head of dolphin somewhat flatly struck, otherwise. EF.....3100
56. **CALABRIA, TARENTUM**; c. 280 BC, Nomos, 7.93g. Vlasto-679-82, HN Italy-963, SNG ANS-1056-8, SNG Lloyd-197, SNG Paris BN-1874-6, Pozzi-357-8. Obv: Warrior, nude but for crested helmet, wearing shield on left arm and holding spear in left hand, on horse prancing left; to left, Nike standing facing, restraining horse with both hands; [ΑΥΚΙΣΚΟΣ] below. Rx: Phalanthos, nude, extending his right arm, wearing shield inscribed E on his left arm and holding two spears in his left hand, astride dolphin right; ΤΑΡΑΣ and ΙΟΡ to left, waves below. Ex Triton XIII, 5 January 2010, lot 16. This coin is unusually well centered and well struck with beautiful rainbow toning making it highly desirable. MS.....7750
57. **LUCANIA, METAPONTUM**; 330-280 BC, Stater, 7.73g. S-B3. Obv: ΑΕΥ[ΚΙΠΠΙΟ] Σ Bearded head of Leukippos r., wearing Corinthian helmet with plain bowl; symbol behind head: dog seated l. [with one paw raised], [Σ] below neck; Rx: MET[A] upward at l. with six-grained barley ear with leaf to r.; bird r. with open wings stands on leaf; ΑΜΙ below. Unlike the earlier issues, the late 4th century BC coinage of Metapontum frequently changed its obverse type. Besides various female deities, the helmeted and bearded head of Leukippos, the mythical founder of Metapontum, can be found. Like many heroes he is shown in military guise, although he is reputed to have acquired the Metapontine territory from the neighboring Tarentines by deceit, rather than by fighting. Ironically, the head of Mars on the first Roman silver coinage (the Mars/horse ROMANO didrachms) copied the type of this helmeted Metapontine hero. Somewhat muted silver but lovely imagery and good definition. Bold VF.....1100
58. **LUCANIA, THURIUM**; c. 350-300 BC, Distater, 15.56g. HN Italy-1823 var. (no TI on neck guard), Noe-J5. Obv: Head of Athena r. wearing crested Attic helmet decorated with scylla hurling rock. Rx: Bull charging r.; above, ΘΟΥΥΙΩΝ ΕΥΦΑ. Some areas of flat striking in field, generally not affecting the design. About EF/EF.....3000
59. **LUCANIA, VELIA**; c. 340-334 BC, Didrachm, 7.62g. Williams-251, HN Italy-1283. Obv: Head of Athena r., helmet decorated with griffin. Rx: Lion walking r., Π below, YEΑHTΩN in exergue. A wonderfully centered and very beautifully struck specimen. Choice EF.....6000
60. **BRUTTIUM, CAULONIA**; c. 525-500 BC, Stater, 7.59g. Noe, Caulonia-7. Obv: Apollo Catharsis advancing r., raising lustral branch behind head in r. hand, and holding running figure also holding branches on outstretched l. arm; on r., stag. Rx: Same type, incuse. All elements of this important early Greek type are visible, despite the corroded surfaces on the obverse. The reverse is complete and sharply struck. aVF.....2750
61. **BRUTTIUM, CROTON**; c. 425-400 BC, Triobol, 1.17g. SNG ANS-414, SNG Cop-1792. Obv: Tripod. Rx: Cuttlefish. Very unusual type with a wonderful image of a cuttlefish on the reverse. VF / EF.....300
62. **BRUTTIUM, CROTON**; 420-370 BC, Stater, 7.47g. SNG Cop-1779 var., SNG Münch-350, SNG Lockett-617, Pozzi-295. Obv: Eagle standing with wings closed atop the nose of a stag to left. The stag's antler runs upward. Rx: Decorative tripod with leaf to left and O/P/O to right. Ex Hirsch, 25 September 2014, lot 2536. VF.....1200
63. **SICILY, SYRACUSE**; Second Democracy, c. 466-460 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.25g. Boehringer-477, SNG ANS-148. Obv: Charioteer driving slow quadriga to right; above, Nike flying to right, crowning horses with wreath; ketos in exergue. Rx: Head of Arethusa to right, wearing pearl diadem, earrings and necklace; four dolphins and ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙΟΝ around. Extremely well centered with the entire design complete and well struck. A very desirable example. Toned EF.....12500
- Lovely Toned Syracuse Tetradrachm**
64. **SICILY, SYRACUSE**; 474-450 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.39g. Boehringer-571. Obv: Quadriga r. crowned by flying Nike, sea monster r. in exergue. Rx: Head of Arethusa r. with wavy hair bound with taenia, which passes three times over her head and around her hair held in a knot on her neck. She wears earrings and a pearl necklace with a pendant at the front. Before and behind her head, ethnic ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙ - ON; around her head, four dolphins. Flan a little tight, but well-centered, sharply struck and with some lustrous areas. EF.....8250
65. **SICILY, SYRACUSE**; 430-420 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.20g. Boehringer-642. Obv: Quadriga r., horses crowned by Victory. Rx: ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙΟΝ Arethusa with hair in sakkos ornamented with meander pattern; four dolphins around. Ex Coin Galleries, December 2005, lot 26. With a well struck obverse. Some contact marks on reverse, but with a very sharp Greek meander pattern on the sakkos of Arethusa. EF.....4500
- Ex W. Niggeler Collection 1965**
66. **SICILY, SICULO-PUNIC**; 350-300 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.87g. Jenkins-III, 138.7 (this coin). Obv: Persephone-Tanit wearing laurel wreath with three swimming dolphins surrounding her head. Dotted border. Rx: Prancing horse in front of palm. Ex W. Niggeler Collection. Ex Leu/M&M Auction, 3 December 1965, lot 544. Desirable reverse type with prancing horse. EF.....17500
67. **SICULO-PUNIC**; c. 345-320 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.27g. Jenkins-163Y. Obv: Head of Arethusa l. in the manner of Euainetos; below chin, shell; four dolphins swimming around head; dotted border. Rx: Horse's head l. with palm tree symbol behind; Punic letters below (MMHNT). The obverse closely copying Euainetos' head of Arethusa from Syracusean tetradrachms, even reproducing the cockle-shell symbol below her chin. Purchased from HJB Ltd. Fixed Price Inventory in 2000. EF.....7500
68. **SICILY, SICULO-PUNIC**; 320/15-300 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.21g. Jenkins-232 (072/R199). Obv: Head of Arethusa l. with three dolphins around. Rx: Horse's head with palm to r.; Punic ethnic below. Only two recorded by Jenkins (ANS and BM). There is a small die break running from the nymph's lips through the tip of her nose towards the dolphin's tail. Attractively toned. aEF.....8750
- Lorber 19 (This Coin)**
69. **ZEUGITANIA, CARTHAGE**; Group 2, 215-213 BC, Tridrachm, 9.36g. Lorber-19 (this coin). Obv: Young Tanit head l., wearing wreath of wheat ears and single-pendant earring. Rx: Horse standing r., palm tree behind. A nicely struck and well-centered billon tridrachm. EF.....2000
- Prospero and Hess 1981**
70. **EMATIAN DISTRICT, LETE OR SIRIS**; c. 520-500 BC, Stater, 9.89g. SNG ANS-961, Pozzi-985. Obv: Naked satyr standing r., seizing arm of nymph who tries to flee while looking back; above, pellet. Rx: Incuse square divided by large X. Ex Prospero, lot 258. Ex Hess 251, 7-8 May 1981, lot 24. This issue is rather scarce and very desirable when this well struck and should not be confused with the much commoner issues of Thasos. Nearly EF.....14500
71. **BISALTIAN DISTRICT, DERRONES**; c. 480-465 BC, Dodecadrachm, 30.37g. Unpublished. Obv: Ox cart with basket-weave sides driven r. by bearded man with whip, Corinthian helmet above, aphlaston under ox. Rx: Triskeles of human legs. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 16. Ex Gemini VIII, 14 April 2011, lot 24. The obverse doublestruck, the reverse with large bubbles and weak areas, such as often occur on these products right from the silver mines. EF.....25000
72. **CHALCIDIAN DISTRICT, MENDE**; c. 520-480 BC. Tritartemion, 0.41g. SNG ANS-306. Obv: Ass's head and neck left; pellet at base. Rx: Mill-sail incuse. Ex Superior, 30 May 1995, lot 7257 (lot of 6 coins, Lewis Egnew Collection). EF.....315
73. **CHALCIDIAN DISTRICT, MENDE**; 460-423 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.67g. Noe-73, SNG ANS-340 (same dies). Obv: Dionysos, holding kantharos, reclining left on back of an ass standing right; to right, bird standing right. Dotted border. Rx: ΜΕΝΔΑΙΟΝ arrayed around vine bearing five bunches of grapes; all within incuse square. Ex Richard P. Miller Collection. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 23. Toned. VF 3950
74. **MACEDONIA, PHILIP II**; 359-336 BC. Amphipolis mint, c. 355-349/8 BC, Tetradrachm, 14.40g. Le Rider-91 (D41/R75), SNG ANS-468. Obv: Laureate head of Zeus r., dotted border. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠ-ΠΟΥ Rider wearing petasos, raising right hand, holding reins in left, on horseback left; below, trident left. Ex CNG Coins. Ex Spink Numismatic Circular CXII.2 (April 2004), no. GK1198. Toned. VF.....2400
- Striking Philip II Tetradrachm**
75. **MACEDONIA, PHILIP II**; Pella mint, c. 323-315 BC, Tetradrachm, 14.26g. Le Rider-p. 68, 530, pl. 22. Obv: Laureate head of Zeus r., dotted border. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠ-ΠΟΥ Boy rider on horseback r., holding palm branch in r. hand. Beneath horse, coiled snake. In exergue, Boeotian shield. Dotted border. Ex Gemini X, 13 January 2013, lot 37. An incredible piece of Hellenistic art. Aside from a few minor imperfections in front of the face and the slight off-centering, this piece is a fantastic example of the coinage of Philip II. According to Le Rider this coin was minted after Philip's death and during the reign of his son Alexander. Therefore the coinage of Philip II and his son were minted simultaneously and covered the Greek world. Mint State.....3000
76. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; "Amphipolis," Lifetime issue, 336-323 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.10g. Price-89e. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; crescent in l. field. Toned EF.....1100
77. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; Amphipolis, c. 323-320 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.15g. Price-121, Müller-860. Obv: Head of Herakles right, wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ Zeus enthroned left, holding scepter and eagle, monogram in front. MS.....1500
78. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; Amphipolis, c. 320-317 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.27g. Price-124. Obv: Head of Herakles right, wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ Zeus enthroned left, holding scepter, laurel branch before; Π below throne. MS.....1500
79. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; "Amphipolis," c. 320-317 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.05g. Price-129. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; apluster in l. field, monogram under throne. Choice EF.....875
80. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; "Amphipolis," c. 320-317 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.20g. Price-129 var. (hook on left side). Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; apluster in l. field, monogram under throne. Good VF.....1000
81. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; Amphipolis, c. 320-315 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.98g. Price-432. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; Α over bucranium in l. field, E under throne. Choice EF.....1000
82. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; 336-323 BC. Sardes, c. 319-315 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.90g. Price-2664. Obv: Head of Hercules wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ Zeus seated holding eagle on outstretched arm; under extended arm, monogram YM and star. High relief obverse. EF.....800
83. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; Sardes, c. 319-315 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.93g. Price-2671. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; monograms in l. field and under throne. MS.....850
84. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; Byblos, lifetime issue, c. 330-320 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.96g. Price-3426. Obv: Head of Herakles r.,

- wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; AP monogram in l. field. EF.....975
85. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; "Babylon," c. 311-305 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.94g. Price-3752. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; MI in l. field, monogram in wreath under throne. Near MS1100
86. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT, 336-323 BC**; "Babylon," c. 311-305 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.81g. Price-3754. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; MI over bee in l. field, monogram in wreath under throne. EF.....1000
87. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; 336-323 BC. Abydos, c. 310-301 BC, Drachm, 4.06g. Price-1551. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; head of Ammon symbol in l. field and ivy leaf under throne. VF / Fine.....300
88. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; 336-323 BC. Colophon, 323-319 BC, Drachm, 4.19g. Price-1751. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; symbol of spear-head in outer r. field and grain of wheat below throne. About EF.....375
89. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; Possible lifetime issue, c. 323-319 BC, Drachm, 4.40g. Price-1759. Obv: Head of Herakles r. wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l. holding eagle on outstretched r. arm; star in l. field; spear point in outer r. field. Toned. Good VF350
90. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; 336-323 BC. Miletus, c. 300-280 BC, Drachm, 4.16g. Price-2075. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; double-ax symbol below throne. EF375
91. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; 336-323 BC. Miletus, c. 295-275 BC, Drachm, 4.16g. Price-2151. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; M symbol in l. field. EF / VF325
92. **MACEDONIA, ALEXANDER III THE GREAT**; 336-323 BC. Chios, c. 290-275 BC, Drachm, 4.12g. Obv: Head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: Zeus seated l., eagle on outstretched arm; encircled MP symbol above grapes in l. field. About EF275
- Magnificent Paonia**
93. **PAEONIAN KINGDOM. PATRAOS**; 340-315 BC, Tetradrachm, 12.96g. Paeonian Hoard, Sotheby 1969, lot 430 (same dies). Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r. Rx: Horseman with plumed helmet r., spearing fallen enemy who holds shield. Since the auction of 1969, coins of Paonia have become very common but frequently not of excellent quality. This coin is flawless in every way, with even the shield of the fallen warrior showing great detail. FDC1500
94. **MACEDONIA, AMPHIPOLIS**; 158-150 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.91g. AMNG III-159, SNG Cop-1310. Obv: Bust of Artemis r. within Macedonian shield. Rx: MAKEAONQN ΠΠΘTHE Club of Herakles and monogram A within wreath; thunderbolt to l. Choice EF775
95. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**; 306-281 BC. Lysimachia, c. 297-282 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.81g. Thompson-not, Müller-44. Obv: Head of Alexander the Great with Ammon horns r. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ Athena enthroned l., her l. arm resting on round shield (with lion head in center), holding Nike on outstretched r. hand, Nike crowning the king's name. In inner l. field, monogram. EF.....800
96. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**; 306-281 BC. Chalcodon, c. 323-271 BC. Tetradrachm, 16.61g. Not found in the standard references. Obv: Horned and diademed head of deified Alexander the Great right. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ Athena seated l. on throne, resting l. elbow on shield behind throne, holding Victory and transverse spear; monogram in inner left field and ear of wheat in exergue. Tiny bits of encrustation on the outline around the image of Alexander and around Athena on the reverse. Scratch on reverse above Athena's head and her Nike. VF+850
97. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**; 306-281 BC. Byzantium, c. 297-282 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.78g. Thompson-not, Hunter-p. 433, 83. Obv: Head of Alexander the Great with Ammon horns r. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ Athena enthroned l., her l. arm resting on round shield (with lion head in center), holding Nike on outstretched r. hand, Nike crowning the king's name. In inner l. field, monogram. VF525
98. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**; 306-281 BC. Uncertain Mint, c. 297-282 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.83g. Thompson-not. Obv: Head of Alexander the Great with Ammon horns r. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ Athena enthroned l., her l. arm resting on round shield (with lion head in center), holding Nike on outstretched r. hand, Nike crowning the king's name. In inner l. field, monogram. VF / About VF500
99. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**; 306-281 BC. Teos, c. 299/8-297/6 BC, Drachm, 4.20g. Thompson-130. Obv: Alexander in the guise of Herakles wearing lion-skin headdress. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ Zeus enthroned holding eagle on outstretched arm. M symbol and griffin in l. field. Rare Lysimachus drachm. Teos was a royal mint for a short time only. Its small production of drachms falls in the period before Lysimachus began to issue money with his own types. About EF.....500
100. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**; 306-281 BC. Ephesus, c. 294-287 BC, Drachm, 4.20g. Thompson-174. Obv: Head of the deified Alexander with horn of Ammon. Rx: Athena enthroned holding Nike on outstretched arm. Cithara symbol on inner l. field and ornament on throne. VF400
101. **THRACE, LYSIMACHUS**; 306-281 BC. Ephesus, c. 294-287 BC, Drachm, 4.11g. Thompson-174. Obv: Head of the deified Alexander with horn of Ammon. Rx: Athena enthroned holding Nike on outstretched arm. Cithara symbol in inner l. field and ornament on throne. Scarce with ornament symbol on throne. VF.....325
102. **THRACE, ABDERA**; c. 365-345 BC, Tetradrachm, 10.22g. May-537 (same obverse die). Obv: ΑΒΔΗ-ΠΙΤΕΩΝ Griffin squatting right, l. front leg raised. Rx: Laureate head of Apollo right; ΕΠΙ ΔΙΟ[Ν]-ΥΣΑΔΟΣ. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 81. Ex Richard P. Miller Collection. Privately purchased from Leu Numismatik in January 2005. Near Mint State / VF2500
- Ainos Tetradrachm**
103. **THRACE, AINOS**; c. 372-369 BC, Tetradrachm, 15.29g. May-412 (obv 249/rev). Obv: Head of Hermes facing, wearing petasos. Rx: ΑΙΝΙΟΝ Goat walking r. on exergal line, helmet before; all within incuse square. Ex Künker 174, 27 September 2010, lot 171. Some porosity, but excellent centering and very good strike. The types silvery, but with some dark toning around the edges. This coin has a stern 3/4 facing Hermes with penetrating eyes. VF+8500
104. **THRACE, CHERRONESOS**; Hemidrachm, Thrace, Cherronesos, c. 350-300 BC, 2.40g. BM-10, Grose-4081. Obv: Forepart of lion r., head turned back. Rx: Quadripartite incuse square, pellet in one quadrant, palm-branch in another. aEF.275
105. **THRACE, ISTROS**; Drachm, Thrace, Istros, 4th century BC, 5.61g. SNG BM-247. Obv: Two male heads facing, one inverted. Rx: Eagle standing l. on dolphin, monogram below. Some areas of soft striking. EF with luster350
106. **THRACE, THASOS**; Fifth Century BC, Stater, 9.41g. BM-24, SNG Cop-1010. Obv: Ithyphallic satyr with visible foreskin kneeling r. and carrying nymph. Rx: Quadripartite incuse square. aEF825
107. **THRACE, THASOS**; 510-463 BC, Drachm, 4.12g. SNG Cop-1014 ff, SNG Lockett-1221-1222. Obv: Satyr advancing right, carrying protesting nymph, Rx: Quadripartite incuse square. Ex Hirsch, 25 September 2014, lot 2634. The drachm denomination is much scarcer than the tetradrachm. VF+1200
- Ex BCD Thessalian Hemidrachm**
108. **THESSALY, CRANNON**; Hemidrachm, 2.64g. BCD-Thessaly I-1080. Obv: X-A-Η The hero Thessalos, nude but for petasos and chlamys, holding band around the head of forepart of a bull r. Rx: K-R-A (retrograde), forepart of bridled horse l., trident behind; all within incuse square. This lovely piece is ex BCD Collection but was not in the printed catalogs. It has a tremendously good strike and lovely toning. A superb example. Mint State.....800
109. **THESSALY, LARISSA**; c. 400-380 BC, Drachm, 6.05g. Lorber-Studies Westernmark, p. 280, Type 23, 64. Obv: Head of nymph Larissa three-quarters left, wearing ampyx, pendant earring, and necklace, hair flying freely around face. Rx: [A]API Horse grazing right. Excellent art. Well centered and highly detailed obverse. Good EF2000
- Excellent Stater of Larissa**
110. **THESSALY, LARISSA**; c. 356-342 BC, Stater, 12.22g. BCD-301, Lorber-Shahar-Series B, O12/R2. Obv: Head of the nymph Larissa three-quarter facing l., wearing plain necklace, her hair held by an ampyx. Rx: Bridled horse trotting r., tail upright and looped; ΔAPI above, ΣΑΙΩΝ below. Beautifully struck. Choice EF6000
111. **ISLANDS OF ILLYRICUM, CORCYRA**; c. 450-350 BC, Triobol, 2.56g. Not found in references. SNG Delepierre-1201 var. Obv: Amphora with E - Y to either side. Rx: Star with amphora symbol at top and K O P around. The EY on the obverse is an enigma. The coin appears to be from Corcyra judging from the legend KOP on the reverse. Perhaps EY indicates a magistrate. Choice EF375
- Ex Hirsch 1905**
112. **AKARNARIAN LEAGUE**; 250-200 BC, Stater, 9.76g. BCD-17 (M&M Basel 23, 18 October 2007), SNG Cop-418. Obv: Head of beardless Achelous r.; on left, magistrate 'Lykourgos' (blurred). Rx: Apollo Actius seated l. with bow; behind AKAPANΩΝ; in front, ΕΘ (E is retrograde). Ex J. Hirsch XIV, 27 November 1905, lot 349. Rare in this quality. EF.....15500
- Ex Lambros. Ex Bement. Ex Spencer-Churchill**
113. **AETOLIA**; c. 220-205 BC, Stater, 10.54g. A. Tsangari, p. 93, 582a, pl. 33 (this coin.), SNG Cop-5, SNG Lockett-1686. Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r., AY in left field. Rx: ΑΙΤΩΛΩΝ Hero Aitolos standing l., right foot on rock, causia behind neck, holding spear and sword; in left field, NK; between rock and leg. A. Ex Gemini XII, 11 January 2015, lot 110. Ex Cahn 75, 30 May 1932, lot 304. Ex Ars Classica 14, 2 July 1929 (Spencer-Churchill Coll.), lot 242. Ex Ars Classica 6, 28 January 1924 (Bement Coll.), lot 1017. Ex J. Hirsch 29, 9 November 1910 (Lambros Coll.), lot 392. Wonderfully toned EF12500
114. **BOEOTIA, THEBES**; c. 425-400 BC, Stater, 12.06g. BCD-400. Obv: Boeotian shield. Rx: Amphora; Θ E across field; to left, club. All within incuse circle. EF / aEF925
- Ex Spink Circular 1979**
115. **BOEOTIA, TANAGRA**; Stater, Boeotia, Tanagra, 387-374 BC, 12.00g. BCD Boiotia-264, Traité pl. 204.6. Obv: Boeotian shield; Rx: Forepart of horse r. with laurel garland around its neck, bunch of grapes below. Ex Spink's Circular, Jan./Feb. 1979. Bankers' marks on horse's shoulder and shield. A lovely piece with nice silver and incredible imagery. VF2700
116. **EUBOEA, HISTIAIA**; c. 196-146 BC, Tetrobol, 2.37g. BM-112. Obv: Head of Maenad r., hair bound with ivy wreath. Rx: ΙΣΤΙΑΙΕΩΝ Nymph Histiaea seated r. on the stern of a galley decorated with wings and holding a trophy-stand; monogram below. Unusually nice style. EF175
- Starr Group IIA**
117. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; c. 470/65 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.00g. Starr-Group IIA, 20 (same dies). Obv: Helmeted head of Athena right. Rx: ΑΘΕ Owl standing right, head facing, with olive sprig and crescent behind. Issued along with the decadrachms, this tetradrachm was either struck for the Athenian general Kimon's campaign in southern Asia Minor, or it may have been produced from the booty from the battle near river Eurymedon (c. 467 BC). Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 123. This is one of the rare first Athenian coins struck with the crescent moon, as opposed to the masses of similar coins that were struck 20 years later. EF / VF.....16500
118. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; 440-406 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.07g. Svoronos-pl. 10-11, Flament, pl. IX, 15. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: ΑΘΕ Owl standing r., head facing, olive twig and crescent in upper l. field; all within incuse square. EF3650
119. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; 435 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.24g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena right. Rx: ΑΘΕ Owl standing right, head facing, with olive sprig and crescent behind. Some very minor corrosion; tiny areas of flat strike on reverse. EF / VF.....1500
120. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; 435 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.16g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: ΑΘΕ Owl standing r., head facing, olive sprig and crescent behind. EF.....2100

121. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; 425 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.04g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena right. Rx: Owl standing right, head facing. Unusual spread flan which indicates this is probably one of the last issues of Athens showing Athena with the almond shaped eye before the transition to the odd elongated flans and the Athena with the profile eye. This is something we have never handled before. EF.....2200
122. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; c. 425 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.00g. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena right. Rx: AΘE Owl standing right, head facing, with olive sprig and crescent behind. A piece of later style in high relief. Mint State.....1950
123. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; Late 4th Century BC, Tetradrachm, 17.16g. Obv: Head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. Nose is off flan. EF.....300
124. **ATTIC, ATHENS**; Late 4th Century BC, Tetradrachm, 17.06g. bv: Head of Athena r. Rx: Owl standing r., head facing. aVF.....350
- Superb Early Stater of Aegina**
125. **ATTIC, AEGINA**; 510-490 BC, Stater, 12.08g. Milbank-3 (Pl. 1). Obv: Sea turtle, pellets on shell. Rx: Mill-sail pattern. Struck in high relief with excellent detail. Toned. Some ancient scrapes in right field. The turtle's head with the eye is fully struck and it is very difficult to find Aegina coins in this high grade. Mint State.....6850
126. **ATTIC, AEGINA**; c. 480-457 BC, Stater, 12.21g. SNG Dewing-1674, Milbank-15 (obv.) and 14 (rx.). Obv: Sea turtle, row of pellets on shell. Rx: Incuse square divided into skew pattern. Ex Triton XVIII, 6-7 January 2015, lot 527. Ex CNG 55, 13 September 2000, lot 362. Beautifully centered and struck in high relief. Two small cracks, apparently flan flaws, across one of the segments on reverse and into the two adjoining dividers. EF.....6000
127. **ATTIC, AEGINA**; 445-431 BC, Stater, 12.48g. Milbank-13, Period V. Obv: Land Turtle. Rx: Shallow five-part incuse. Struck on a broad flan, exhibiting luster, but somewhat softly struck. Good EF.....2500
128. **ATTIC, AEGINA**; 480-456 BC, Hemibol, 0.37g. Milbank-9, SNG Cop-513. Obv: Sea turtle. Rx: Skew pattern incuse. Toned VF.....750
129. **ATTIC, AEGINA**; Obol, 0.91g. Milbank-pl. 3, 9 (same dies). Obv: Land turtle with segmented shell, A in field l. Rx: Four-part incuse, one quadrant divided by diagonal line; N I in two sections. Choice EF struck in high relief.....2350
130. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**; c. 490/480 BC, Stater, 8.62g. Ravel-147, Calciati-53, BCD Corinth (Lanz 105, 26 November 2001)-21, SNG Cop-7. Obv: Pegasus with curled wing flying l., koppa below. Rx: Archaic head of Athena r. wearing Corinthian helmet. Ex Stack's, 22-23 April 2009, lot 1097. Really beautiful head of Athena with well-centered Pegasus on obverse. Toned Good VF.....2800
131. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**; c. 400-338 BC, Hemidrachm, 1.20g. BMC-p. 19, 191 ff.. Obv: Forepart of Pegasus l., with curled wing; beneath koppa. Rx: Head of Dionysos l., wearing ivy-wreath. On this rare issue, Aphrodite is replaced by Dionysos. Porous surfaces. aVF.....275
132. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**; c. 400-338 BC, Hemidrachm, 1.19g. BMC-p. 35 var. (different denominations). Obv: Forepart of Pegasus l., with curled wing; beneath koppa. Rx: Head of Aphrodite l. VF.....375
133. **CORINTHIA, CORINTH**; c. 350-330 BC, Stater, 8.05g. Calciati-325. Obv: Pegasus flying l., koppa below. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena l.; above helmet, flying Nike; behind, dolphin. aEF.....450
134. **ACARNANIA, ANACTORIUM**; c.350-330 BC, Stater, 8.37g. Calciati-15. Obv: Pegasus flying l., AN below. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena r., palm branch behind. Near Mint State.....575
135. **ACARNANIA, LEUCAS**; c.350-330 BC, Stater, 8.51g. Calciati-66. Obv: Pegasus flying l., A below. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena l., Y behind. Toned VF.....450
- Stratus/Archeolous Symbol**
136. **ACARNANIA, STRATUS**; Stater, 6.91g. Calciati-1. Obv: Pegasus flying l., N below. Rx: Head of Athena l., H below, head of Achelous l. behind. Pegasi of Stratus are excessively rare; we find only two sales in recent decades, both with Athena's head facing right, rather than left as on this example. Only two types listed in Calciati for the entire city. The combination of the head of Athena and symbol of Archeolous make this coin exceptional. Mint State.....2500
137. **BRUTTIUM, LOCROI EPIZEPHYRII**; c. 330-300 BC, Stater, 8.57g. Calciati-12. Obv: Pegasus flying l., caduceus below. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena l., AOKPQN before. A few minor spots of incrustation. Otherwise well-centered, toned and very attractive. Toned EF.....750
138. **LACONIA, SPARTA**; c. 80-50s BC, Triobol, 2.29g. BCD-868. Obv: Head of Herakles r. Rx: Amphora; to each side, caps of the Dioscuri; all within laurel wreath. The Spartans did not mint coinage until around the 3rd century BC. Head flatly struck. aEF.....450
- Exceptional Type from Elis**
139. **ELIS, OLYMPIA**; 87th Olympiad, 432 BC, Stater, 12.11g. Seltman-133, BCD-55 (same dies), SNG Delepiere-2093. Obv: Eagle flying r. with wings above his body, grasping hare by the back with his talons and tearing at it with his beak; graffito KO retrograde above eagle's head. Rx: Nike, wearing peplos and chiton, seated left on the upper of two steps, holding with her right hand a long palm branch with frond behind her head, and resting her l. hand on the step behind her; below lower step, olive spray. As Seltman notes, this lush depiction of Nike was engraved by an artist who had previously worked on the Parthenon sculptures. A masterpiece of fifth-century Greek coinage. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 141. Ex Richard Miller Collection. Good VF.....8500
140. **PELEPONNESUS, ARCADIAN LEAGUE, ARCADIA, MANTINEIA**; c. 477-468 BC, Triobol, 2.81g. Williams-111 (O76/R67). Obv: Zeus seated l. on throne with low back, holding eagle and scepter. Rx: Female head l., wearing sakkos. Ex Gemini IX, 8 January 2012, lot 97. Though Arcadians were proverbially country bumpkins, the Arcadian League managed to issue a highly attractive series of coins, displaying charming maiden heads in up-to-date style and an awesome image of Zeus Lycaeus, one of the most prominent deities of the Arcadian pantheon. The maiden head may represent the mysterious goddess Despoina ("the mistress"), whose sanctuary at Lykosoura in southwest Arcadia is still well known today. Charming reverse head. Extremely rare. VF.....1950
- Unusual Land Turtle of Crete**
141. **CRETE, CYDONIA**; Triobol, 2.88g. Robinson-NC 1928, Pseudoaeginetica-22, Le Rider-pl X, 9, Svoronos-. Obv: Land turtle with segmented shell. Rx: Four-part incuse, one quadrant divided by diagonal line; two sections containing thin lines resembling A or another letter. From a private UK collection. The types copy those of Aegina. It is rare to find a land turtle not struck in Aegina. EF.....1900
- Extremely Rare Type of Eleutherna**
142. **CRETE, ELEUTHERNA**; c. 330-300 BC, Didrachm, 11.14g. SNG Delepiere-2361 (same dies). Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r. Rx: Naked Apollo standing l. holding stone and bow. Extremely rare variety and unrecorded in this vigorous regional style in both Svoronos and Le Rider. Toned Mint State.....7500
- Exceptional Gortyna**
143. **CRETE, GORTYNA**; c. 350-320 BC, Stater, 11.77g. Svoronos-51, pl XIII, 22, Le Rider-pl. XVI, 12. SNG Cop-441. Obv: Europa seated gracefully within a tree. One hand rests behind her for support while the other hand supports her head. Rx: Zeus as bull (countermark between bull's legs). From a private UK collection. Wonderful types, rare in this condition. Good VF.....6250
- Die Engraver's Variation**
144. **CRETE, ITANUS**; c. 380 BC, Stater, 11.53g. cf. Svoronos-pl. XIX, 10. cf. Grose-p. 241, 5. Le Rider-. Pozzi-. SNG Cop-. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena left; helmet crest is not on die. Rx: ITANIO[N] Eagle standing left with head reverted. Rare earlier type without triton symbol in right reverse field; apparently unrecorded with missing crest on Athena's helmet, presumably the result of a die engraver's oversight. VF / EF.....6500
145. **CRETE, ITANUS**; c. 300 BC, Hemidrachm, 2.65g. Svoronos-32. Obv: Helmeted head of Athena r. Rx: Eagle standing l., head r. From a private UK collection. Lovely, well struck example. Near Mint State.....2000
- Exceptional Lyttus Stater**
146. **CRETE, LYTTUS**; c. 320-280 BC, Stater, 11.38g. Le Rider-pl. VII, 20, Svoronos-32 var. (rev. legend). Obv: Eagle flying l. Rx: Boar's head r., AVTTS in upper r. field; all in linear frame within incuse square. From a private UK collection. Head of eagle flatly struck. Near Mint State.....4900
- Rare Lyttus Type**
147. **CRETE, LYTTUS**; c. 300-270 BC, Stater, 10.70g. Svoronos-56 (one example cited); Le Rider-p. 31, 219, cf. pl. VII, 24 (same obv. die). Obv: Eagle flying r. with both wings above him, holding prey in talons. Rx: Boar's head r., AV in upper r. field; all in dotted frame within incuse square. From a private UK collection. Unusual and rare with both wings of the eagle above him, rather than one wing above and one below. Fine / VF.....2750
148. **CRETE, RHAUCUS**; c. 300 BC, Stater, 11.23g. Le Rider-pl. VI, 10; Svoronos-9. Obv: Poseidon standing facing, holding reins of horse. Rx: Ornate trident within incuse square. From a private UK collection. Some areas of flat striking. Good VF.....3250
149. **AEOLIS, MYRINA**; c. 155-145 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.28g. Sacks, ANSMN 30 (1985), pl. 2, 11a. Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r., with three locks of hair falling onto his neck. Rx: MYPINAIQN Apollo of Gryneium standing r., wearing laurel wreath, with himation draped around his lower torso, bare from the waist up; in r. hand, patera, in l., branch with two fillets. At feet, omphalos and amphora (city symbol), monogram behind; all within laurel wreath. Mint State.....1675
150. **CARIA, MYLASA**; c. 175-150 BC, Tetradrachm, 9.09g. R. Ashton, "The Pseudo-Rhodian Drachms of Mylasa", NC (1992), pp. 1-39. Tetradrachm specifically discussed on p. 22, G var. (monogram in reverse right field is reverted) pl. 10. Akarca pl. 2, 11 var. SNG von Aulock 2863 var. SNG Kayhan 842 var., cf. R. Ashton and G. Reger in Agoronomia. Studies in Money and Exchange Presented to John H. Kroll (New York 2006), p. 137, pl. 6, 200. Obv: Rose with two buds. In inner left field, M. In inner right field, Y. Rx: IA-A Eagle standing right on palm branch, spreading wings. In right field, ΠΑ. ΠΑ is the abbreviation for the month of ΠΑΝΕΜΟΣ in the Macedonian calendar, corresponding to c. June in the modern calendar. Areas of reverse flatly struck. EF.....6000
151. **CARIA, MYLASA**; Drachm, Caria, Mylasa, c. 175-150 BC, 2.37g. R. Ashton, "The Pseudo-Rhodian Drachms of Mylasa", NC (1992), 160. Obv: Head of Helios with standing eagle on left side of cheek. Rx: Rose, M to left of stalk, A to right. aEF 150
152. **RHODES**; High Relief Didrachm, Caria, Rhodes, 316-304 BC, 6.67g. SNG Keckman-459. Obv: Head of Helios facing, slightly r. Rx: Rose; EY and grapes to l. Struck in high relief with very light corrosion on obverse. VF.....2500
- Adorable Mouse Symbol**
153. **CARIA, RHODES**; c. 150-125 BC, Drachm, 2.86g. SNG Keckman-, Jenkins-80. Obv: Head of Helios r. Rx: Rose, legend P O below, mouse in lower l., TIMOETPATOE above. Adorable mouse symbol on reverse. Mint State.....350
154. **LYDIA, CROESUS**; c. 565-546 BC, Siglos, 5.20g. Berk, 100 Greatest Ancient Coins-22. Obv: Confronted foreparts of a roaring lion and a bull. Rx: Two-part incuse punch. Sharply struck example. EF.....1250
155. **LYDIA, CROESUS**; 565-546 BC, 1/6 stater, 1.71g. Rosen-667. 100 Greatest Ancient Coins, by Harlan J. Berk-p. 12, #25. Die Münzprägung des Kroisos, #25, Harlan J. Berk, Münzen Revue 9/1997. Obv: Confronted foreparts of lion r. and bull l. Rx: Two incuse squares of unequal size. A small silver denomination in one of the first bimetallic series struck in Lydia under Croesus. Good VF.....1250
- Exquisite Eastern Style Head of Herakles**
156. **LYCIA, TELMESSOS, DYNAST KHEREI**; c. 410-390 BC, Stater, 8.56g. SNG Cop Supp-451. Mørholm and Zahle, Acta Archaeologica 47 (1976), p. 52, 52 [sic], pl. III. Obv: Head of Athena r. Rx: KHERI TELEBHE in Lycian letters. Bearded head of Herakles r., wearing lion-skin headdress, all within incuse square. After the Lycian dynast Kheriga's death, Kherei usurped his throne and expelled the rightful heir Erbbina. On Kherei's life and career, see P. Thonemann in J. Ma et al. (eds.), Interpreting the Athenian Empire (London 2009), pp. 167-194, and K. Konuk in O.

- Tekin (ed.), Festschrift E. Bosch (Istanbul 2009), p. 197. EF.....7750
157. **CILICIA, NAGIDUS**; c. 400-385 BC, Stater, 10.75g. SNG Paris-21, BM-12. Obv: Aphrodite seated l., holding phiale in outstretched arm and being crowned by Eros; lit altar before. Rx: Dionysos standing l., holding in r. hand bunch of grapes on vine, thyrsos in l.; ΝΑΓΙΔΕ[Ω]-N around. Attractive piece with good centering and strike. Minor roughness to the surface. Some iridescent toning. Mint State1250
158. **CILICIA, TARSUS**; 378-372 BC, Stater, 10.49g. SNG Paris BN-295, Traité-II, 617. Obv: Baaltars seated r., head and torso facing, holding grain ear, bunch of grapes, and eagle-tipped scepter; thymiaterion to r., all within crenellated wall. Rx: The sky god Ana, nude, standing r., facing Datames standing l.; thymiaterion between; all within square dotted border in linear border; script (TRDMW=Datames) before Datames. A remarkable sanctuary scene. EF.....775
159. **CILICIA, ISSOS. BALAKROS**; 333-323 BC, Stater, 10.89g. SNG Paris BN-420, SNG Levante-. Obv: Baaltars seated l., holding lotus-tipped scepter; grain ear and grape bunch to l., B to r., I below throne. Rx: Draped bust of Athena facing slightly l., wearing triple-crested Attic helmet. Facing head of Athena is rather beautiful, the nose and lips are somewhat flatly struck, otherwise toned Mint State1675
160. **PAMPHYLIA, ASPENDUS**; Stater, Pamphylia, Aspendus, 420-400 BC, 10.91g. SNG Von Aulock-4504. Obv: Two wrestlers engaged; the one on the l. holds l. arm of opponent with both hands; his opponent grasps his l. upper arm, countermark at legs. Rx: Slinger wearing short, discharging sling to r., triskeles in form of human legs in front; two countermarks. Rare type showing wrestlers engaged. Early issue with several countermarks on reverse. VF for issue600
- Pomegranite Type**
161. **PAMPHYLIA, SIDE**; c. 470-440 BC, Stater, 10.73g. SNG von Aulock-4765 (same dies), SNG Paris BN-628. Obv: Pomegranate. Rx: Helmeted head of Athena r. In upper r. field, bough. All within incuse square. EF.....5750
162. **ISSOS OR UNCERTAIN CYPRUS**; Stater, c. 500-480 BC, 10.77g. Babelon XXV, 19. Obv: Lion's head l. with foreleg below. Rx: Crude incuse with large diagonal bar corner to corner. Well-centered. A very early type that is seldom seen. Nice relief of lion but rough surfaces. aEF / EF.....2750
163. **EUAGORAS I**; 411-374 BC. Salamis. Stater, 11.00g. Obv: Head of Heracles r. Rx: Goat kneeling r. with barley grain above. Obverse struck with a rusty die. Well centered reverse. VF / EF.....2500
164. **SYRIA, SELEUCUS I**; 312-280 BC. Ai Khanoum, from c. 285 BC, Drachm, 3.88g. SC-273. Obv: Laureate head of Zeus r., dotted border. Rx: [ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ] on l., ΣΕΛΕΥ[ΚΟΥ] in exergue, Athena in elephant quadriga r., brandishing spear and shield, monogram and anchor above elephants, dotted border. A well struck reverse in this small denomination is scarce. Good Fine.....400
165. **SELEUCID, ANTIOCHUS I**; 281-261 BC, Antioch, Tetradrachm, 16.80g. SC-335.4, Newell-WSM, 940. Obv: Diademed head of king right. Dotted border. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ANTIOXOY Apollo seated left on omphalos, holding arrow, left hand resting on bow. In left field, monogram. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 199. Slightly worn surfaces. Pleasant portrait. VF / aVF.....525
166. **SYRIA, ANTIOCHUS II THEOS**; 261-246 BC. Seleucia on the Tigris, Tetradrachm, 16.90g. SC-587.1. Obv: Diademed portrait of Antiochus I r. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ANTIOXOY Apollo, slight drapery on r. thigh, seated l. on omphalos, testing arrow and resting l. hand on bow, control marks far left and right of flan. Good VF / Fine.....650
167. **SYRIA, SELEUCUS III SOTER (CERAUNUS)**; 226-223 BC, Seleucia on the Tigris, Tetradrachm, 17.04g. SC-939.1. Obv: Diademed head of Seleucus III r., with long sideburn, dotted border. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ on r., ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ on l., Apollo, slight drapery on r. thigh, seated l. on omphalos, testing arrow and resting l. hand on grounded bow. Control marks: MP symbols on outer right and left. VF.....650
168. **SYRIA, SELEUCUS III SOTER (CERAUNUS)**; 226-223 BC, Antioch mint, Tetradrachm, 16.95g. SC-921.1. Obv: Diademed head of Seleucus III r., with long sideburn, dotted border. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ on r., ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ on l., Apollo, slight drapery on r. thigh, seated l. on omphalos, testing arrow and resting l. hand on grounded bow. Control marks on outer left and outer right. aEF / VF.....750
169. **SYRIA, ANTIOCHUS III**; 223-187 BC. Antioch on the Orontes, Series I, c. 223-211/10 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.96g. SC-1042.2, Newell-WSM, 1053. Obv: Diademed head of Antiochus III r., with youthful features, no sideburn, hair in bangs over forehead, dotted border. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ on r., ANTIOXOY on l., Apollo, slight drapery on r. thigh, seated l. on omphalos, testing arrow and resting l. hand on grounded bow with grip marked by row of pellets. Control marks in outer l. and outer r. fields. aEF.....650
170. **SYRIA, ANTIOCHUS III**; 223-187 BC. Antioch on the Orontes, Series I, c. 223-211 BC, Tetradrachm, 17.05g. SC-1042.4. Obv: Diademed head of Antiochus III r. (Type Ai), with youthful features, shorter sideburn, hair in bangs over forehead, one diadem end waving upward, the other falling. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ on r., ANTIOXOY on l., Apollo, slight drapery on r. thigh, seated l. on omphalos, testing arrow and resting l. hand on grounded bow. Control marks in outer left field. EF.....700
- Copying statue of Zeus by Pheidias**
171. **SELEUCID KINGDOM, ANTIOCHUS IV**; Seleucis, c. 167 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.62g. Newell SMA-63, Houghton ACNAC-4, 107. Obv: Laureate head of Zeus r. Rx: Zeus seated on throne l., holding scepter in l. hand, Nike crowning his name standing r. on his outstretched r. hand. In 166 BC, Antiochus invited the cities and kings of Europe and Asia to attend a great religious festival in the sacred grove at Daphne outside Antioch, which opened with a triumphal procession of 50,000 participants with elephants, chariots and cavalry. In purple and gold armor were lines of young men and athletes bearing gold crowns and statues of the gods. Along with all of this, special coins of Zeus and Apollo were issued. The Zeus coin on the reverse was a copy of the Olympian Zeus by Pheidias at Olympus placed in the temple at Daphne. The obverse is the head of that Zeus statue but with features that resembled Antiochus himself. This is one of the few times that a Seleucid coin was issued without bearing the portrait of the king. Extremely rare and EF.....8500

172. **SYRIA, DEMETRIUS I**; 162-150 BC. Antioch on the Orontes, Year 162 = 151/0 BC, Drachm, 4.02g. SC-1642.4c. Obv: Diademed head of Demetrius r., fillet border. Rx: Cornucopia; below, monograms and date ΒΕΡ. Mint State500
173. **SYRIA, ALEXANDER I**; 152-145 BC. Antioch on the Orontes, c. 150-149 BC, Drachm, 4.21g. SC-1785.1a. Obv: Diademed head of Alexander I, r., clean shaven with sideburn, diadem ends falling straight behind. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ in two lines on r., ΘΕΟΠΑΤΟΡΟΣ ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ in two lines on l., Apollo seated l. on omphalos, testing arrow and resting hand on grounded bow. Control symbol in exergue. Mint State510
174. **SYRIA, ALEXANDER I**; 152-145 BC. Antioch on the Orontes, c. 151-149 BC, Drachm, 4.23g. SC-1785.10a. Obv: Diademed head of Alexander I, r., clean shaven with sideburn, diadem ends falling straight behind. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ in two lines on r., ΘΕΟΠΑΤΟΡΟΣ ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ in two lines on l., Apollo seated l. on omphalos, testing arrow and resting hand on grounded bow. Controls in exergue. Mint State450
175. **SYRIA, DEMETRIUS II**; 145-138 BC, Drachm, Seleucia Pieria, 4.05g. SC-1926; Hoover, AJN 12, 4. Obv: Diademed head of Demetrius r., dotted border. Rx: Vertical anchor, flukes upward, PO to l. of anchor. EF.....700
- Brother-Loving God, Victor**
176. **SYRIA, DEMETRIUS II**; 145-138 BC, Drachm, Seleucia Pieria, 4.09g. SC-1927A. Obv: Diademed head of Demetrius r., dotted border; Rx: Vertical anchor, flukes upward. The legend gives the titles of Demetrius II in their fullest form, "Brother-Loving God, Victor". Extremely rare. Some corrosion. aVF.....1250
177. **SYRIA, ANTIOCHUS VI**; c. 144-142 BC, Drachm, Antioch, Year 170=143/2 BC, 4.12g. SC-2002.2a, SMA-249. Obv: Diademed radiate head of Antiochus VI r., dotted border. Rx: Nude Apollo seated l. on omphalos, holding arrow in r. hand and resting l. on bow; in exergue, ΟΡ ΣΤΑ; Φ between Apollo's legs. Flan crack at 2h on obverse. Mint State975
178. **SYRIA, CLEOPATRA THEA AND ANTIOCHUS VIII**; 125-121 BC. Ptolemais (Ake), Undated issue, Tetradrachm, 16.54g. Obv: Jugate heads of Cleopatra and Antiochus r.; fillet border. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣΣΗΣ ΚΛΕΟΠΑΤΡΑΣ ΘΕΑΣ (on l.) and ΚΑΙ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣΣΗΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ (on r.) Zeus seated l. holding Nike and scepter; control marks in l. field. aEF / VF900
179. **SYRIA, ANTIOCHUS VIII EPIPHANES (GRYPUS)**; Sole reign, 121/0-97/6 BC. Antioch, c. 121-113 BC, Tetradrachm, 16.73g. SC-2298.3, SMA-375. Obv: Diademed head of Antiochus VIII r. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣΣΗΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ Zeus, crescent above head, standing l., holding star and resting on scepter; IE above A in l. field, P on inner r. field. Wreath border. Mint State975
180. **JUDAEA, THE BAR KOKHBA WAR**; 132-135 CE. Year 2, c. 133/134 CE. Sela, 14.55g. Hendin-1388. Obv: (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem temple, showbread table in center. Rx: (Year two of the Freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at left. Good EF.....9000
181. **PHOENICIA, ARADUS**; c. 400-350 BC, Tetrobol, 3.16g. BM-7, SG-5968, Boston-2198, Grose-9443. Obv: Merman r., holding dolphin in each hand, Phoenician letters (=ma) above. Rx: Galley r., row of shields along bulwarks, hippocamp below. Good Fine.....300
182. **SHEKEL OF TYRE**; Year 72=55/4 CE, Shekel, 13.78g. BMC-163 var. (monogram). Cohen, DCA p. 504. Obv: Laureate head of Melqart r. Rx: ΤΥΡΟΥ ΙΕΡΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΣΥΛΟΥ Eagle standing l. with r. foot on prow and palm branch over shoulder, club and date OB in l. field, monogram in r. field. Choice EF.....900
183. **BACTRIA, ANTIMACHUS II, 160-155 BC**; Drachm, 2.42g. Bopearachchi-Serie 1D. Obv: Nike advancing l., holding wreath; monogram in lower l. field. Rx: King on horseback right. VF135
184. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.43g. Bopearachchi-Serie 6C. Obv: Diademed heroic bust of Menander l. Rx: Athena advancing r., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower r. field. Lovely heroic bust type. Good VF.....300
185. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.43g. Bopearachchi-Serie 7E. Obv: Diademed heroic bust of Menander l. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower r. field. Good VF.....300
186. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.46g. Bopearachchi-Serie 13O. Obv: Diademed bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower r. field. EF200
187. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.42g. Bopearachchi-Serie 13O. Obv: Diademed bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower r. field. Nice larger flan. aVF.....150
188. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.43g. Bopearachchi-Serie 13Q. Obv: Diademed bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower l. field. An exceptionally nice example. Good EF.....225
189. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.50g. Bopearachchi-Serie 13Q. Obv: Diademed bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower l. field. About Mint State.....250
190. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.42g. Bopearachchi-Serie 13Q. Obv: Diademed bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower l. field. Some minor imperfections. EF.....200
191. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.41g. Bopearachchi-Serie 13Q. Obv: Diademed bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower l. field. Choice EF.....200
192. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.46g. Bopearachchi-Serie 16I. Obv: Helmeted bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt

- and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower r. field. EF250
193. **BACTRIA, MENANDER, 155-130 BC**; Drachm, 2.46g. Bopearachchi-Serie 161. Obv: Helmeted bust of Menander r. Rx: Athena advancing l., brandishing thunderbolt and holding shield; Karosthi legend around, monogram in lower r. field. VF250
194. **BACTRIA, HIPPOSTRATUS**; 80-60 BC. Hazara mint, Bilingual Tetradrachm, 8.71g. Mitchiner-p. 265, Type 443. Obv: Diademed bust of king r. with legend around, ΒΑΣΙΛΩΣ ΜΕΓΑΛΟΥ ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ ΠΙΠΙΟΣΤΡΑΡΟΥ. Rx: King mounted on horse prancing r., with Bactrian legend around, Maharajas tratarasa mahatasa jayamtasa Hipustrasa. EF1700
195. **CYRENAICA, BARKE**; c. 490-470 BC, Didrachm, 8.31g. Nomos 9, 2014, lot 199 (this coin), apparently unpublished and unique. Obv: Ram's head r. with dotted truncation, silphium fruit below, dotted border. Rx: Silphium fruit surrounded by two dolphins, one above and one below, all in incuse square. From the cited Nomos catalogue of 2014, from a collection that was brought out of Libya in 1969 during Gaddafi's putsch against King Idris. Good VF / Fine+25000

Amazing Cyrene

196. **CYRENAICA, CYRENE**; c. 435-331 BC, Tetradrachm, 12.93g. BMC-73. Obv: Silphium plant with six leaves, K - V / P - A across field at corners of plant. Rx: Head of Ammon wearing ram's horn with short curly hair and scraggly beard. Ex Frank L. Kovacs
Ex Nilus Coins
Ex G. Hirsch 275, 22 September 2011, lot 4150
Ex Schweizer Bankverein Zurich 33, September 1993, lot 463
Ex Christie's, 22 April 1986, lot 48
The Greek cities of the Cyrenaica, namely Cyrene and Barce, were one of the main suppliers of grain for the Mediterranean (in one instance, they even saved mainland Greece from starvation). As long as the grain trade flourished, the Cyrenaica enjoyed prosperity. The revenues from the silphium trade were also important. Silphium, a plant that is likely to be extinct since antiquity, was used as medicine; its importance to the ancient economy of the Cyrenaica is underlined by the fact that both Barce and Cyrene used it as a badge on their coins. The other side of their coins displays a head of Zeus in a version specific to North Africa, with the horns of a ram, thus equivalent to the Egyptian god Amun. Zeus-Ammon, as the Greeks called him, was introduced to the Greek pantheon as early as the early fifth century. According to ancient sources the Boeotian poet Pindar who wrote victory odes for Cyrenian aristocrats donated a statue of Zeus-Ammon to a sanctuary (c. 450 BC). Its head might have been reminiscent of the relevant type of Cyrenian coins, and it is fun to imagine what Pindar's unsophisticated fellow-citizens might have thought about a statue of Zeus with the horns of a ram! Porous surfaces but a striking piece nonetheless. The obverse of this coin shows a very complete and elegant silphium plant. The reverse is very well struck with a sharp shadowing of an undertype that doesn't interfere with the image of the deity Ammon. aEF9500
197. **CYRENAICA, CYRENE**; c. 308-277 BC, Didrachm, 7.67g. BM-255, SNG Cop-1243. Obv: Head of Apollo Cameios r. Rx: KY-PA Silphium plant; monogram in l. field, crab in r. field. Good VF2150
198. **SASSANIAN, HORMIZD II**; 303-309 AD, Drachm, 3.72g. Göbl-I/1a, 83; Paruck-176; Alram-761; De Morgan-p.679,69. Obv: Pahlavi legend, crowned bust wearing earring right, eagle and korymbos in crown. Rx: Fire altar with attendants and garlands, bust of Ahuramazda in flames. Hormizd II was the son of Narseh. Although he accomplished very little in his reign, the rock sculptures at Naqsh-e Rostam are memorials to his life. Mint State200

REPUBLICAN SILVER

199. **ANONYMOUS: CRESCENT**; 207 BC, Denarius, 3.80g. Cr-57/2. Obv: Helmeted head of Roma r., X behind. Rx: Dioscuri riding r., crescent above horses; ROMA in exergue. Toned EF220
200. **ANONYMOUS**; 211 BC on, Victoriatus, 3.11g. Cr-53/1. Obv: Laureate head of Jupiter r. Rx: Victory standing r. crowning trophy, ROMA in exergue. Ex Coin Galleries, 10 June 1997, lot 274. Wonderful strike on obverse; reverse weaker but nonetheless a nice example. EF600
201. **ANONYMOUS**; Apulia, 211-210 BC, Quinarius, 1.91g. Cr-102/2b. Obv: Helmeted head of Roma r., V behind. Rx: Dioscuri riding r., ROMA in exergue. In style of issue marked with Q. Ex Nancy Walsh Collection. Ex HJB 137, February 2004, lot 221. aEF375

Choice Republican Denarius

202. **SPURIUS AFRANIUS**; 150 BC, Denarius, 3.79g. Cr-206/1, Syd-388, Afrania-1. Obv: Helmeted head of Roma r., X behind. Rx: Victory in biga r., SAFRA below, ROMA in linear frame below. Mint State1150
203. **TI. VETURIUS**; 137 BC, Denarius, 3.90g. Cr-234/1, Syd-527, Veturia 1. Obv: Helmeted and draped bust of Mars r., X and TI VET behind. Rx: Youth kneeling l., between two warriors who touch with their swords a pig which he holds, ROMA above. Toned VF495
204. **SEX. POMPEIUS FOSTLUS**; 137 BC, Denarius, 3.78g. Cr-235/1c, Pompeia 1a, Syd-461a. Obv: Helmeted head of Roma r., X below chin, pitcher behind. Rx: SEX PO [FOSTLVS] She-wolf r. suckling Twins, shepherd Faustus on l., birds in tree behind, ROMA in exergue. Purchased from HJB in the late 1980s; original Michigan Ave. ticket included in lot. Toned EF285
205. **L. MEMMIUS GALERIA**; 106 BC, Denarius, 3.94g. Cr-313/1b, Syd-574, Memmia 2. Obv: Laureate head of Saturn l., dot E below chin, harpa and [ROMA] behind. Rx: Venus in biga r., Cupid flies above, L MEMMI / GAL in exergue. Ex SC Collection, assembled in the 1960s and 70s. Fully struck with cabinet toning. Toned EF425
206. **L. CALPURNIUS PISO CAESONINUS & Q. SERVIUS CAEPIO, QUAESTORS**; 100 BC, Denarius, 3.98g. Syd-603b, Calpurnia-5b, Cr-330/1b. Obv: Laureate head of Saturn r., PISO and harpa behind; CAEPIO below. Rx: The two quaestors seated l. between two ears of wheat; in exergue, AD FRV EMV / EX SC. Ex Nancy Walsh Collection. EF500
207. **L. TITURIUS L.F. SABINUS**; 89 BC, Denarius, 3.72g. Cr-344/2b, Syd-699, Tituria

4. Obv: Bearded head of King Tadius r., SABIN behind, palm before. Rx: Tarpeia, facing, buried to her waist in shields, with raised hands trying to thrust off two soldiers who are about to cast their shields at her, L TITVRI in exergue, star and crescent above. Exceptionally well-centered and complete reverse. Choice EF550
208. **C. MAMILIUS LIMETANUS**; 82 BC, Denarius, 3.73g. Cr-362/1, Syd-741, Mamilia 6. Obv: Draped bust of Mercury r. wearing winged petasus, caduceus behind, M above. Rx: Ulysses walking r., his dog before; C.MAMIL behind, LIMETAN before. The obverse control letters known for this issue, C LIMETANVS C F, spell out the moneyer's name. Good VF / VF265
209. **Q. FABIVS MAXIMUS**; Restored Issue of 82-80 BC, Denarius, 3.91g. Cr-371/1, Syd-718, Fabia 6. Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r., ROMA Q MAX to l., lyre and crossed X to r. Rx: Cornucopia on thunderbolt, all within wreath. Rare, fewer than 10 obverse dies according to Crawford's projection. VF365
210. **L. PROCILIUS**; 80 BC, Denarius, 3.60g. Cr-379/1, Syd-771, Proclia 1. Obv: Laureate head of Jupiter r., SC behind. Rx: Juno Sospita advancing r., holding shield and hurling spear; behind, L.PROCILIVS; before, serpent. EF500
211. **P. SATRIENUS**; 77 BC, Denarius, 3.82g. Cr-388/1b, Syd-781a, Satriena 1. Obv: Helmeted head of young Mars r., control letter off flan. Rx: ROMA above she-wolf walking l., P SATRIE / NVS in exergue. Beautifully toned; from an old collection in Ipswich. Toned EF550
212. **P. SATRIENUS**; 77 BC, Denarius, 3.83g. Cr-388/1b, Syd-781a, Satriena 1. Obv: Helmeted head of young Mars r., LXXXIII behind. Rx: ROMA above she-wolf walking l., P SATRIE / NVS in exergue. VF400
- Attractive and Rare Q. Crepereius Rocus Denarius**
213. **Q. CREPERIUS M.F. ROCUS**; 72 BC, 72 BC, Denarius, 3.93g. Cr-399/1b, Syd-796a (R6), Creperia 2 (45 Fr.). Obv: Bust of Amphitrite draped r., turned from viewer; B before. Rx: Neptune in sea-chariot r., drawn by two hippocamps; [B] above, Q CREPEREI / ROCVS below. Interesting and very scarce. Toned VF1900
214. **MN. AQUILLIUS MN.F. MN.N.**; 71 BC, Denarius, 3.70g. Cr-401/1, Syd-798, Aquillia 2. Obv: VIRTUS III VIR Helmeted bust of Virtus r. Rx: SICIL MN AQVIL MN F MN N The consul Man. Aquilius raising Sicilia. Mint State825
215. **M. PLAETORIUS M.F. CESTIANUS**; 67 BC, Denarius, 3.95g. Cr-405/5, Syd-807, Plaetoria 5. Obv: Head of Bonus Eventus r., harpoon behind. Rx: Caduceus; M PLAETORI to r., CEST EX SC to l. EF with luster350
216. **C. HOSIDIUS C.F. GETA**; 68 BC, Rome, 68 BC, Denarius, 3.77g. Cr-407/2, Syd-903, Hosidia 1. Obv: Diademed bust of Diana r., III VIR behind, GETA before. Rx: Wild boar of Calydon r., pierced by spear and attacked by dog, C HOSIDI C F in exergue. Ex Coin Galleries MBS, 15 July 1998, lot 251. Beautifully toned. EF600
217. **C. PISO L.F. FRUGI**; 67 BC, Denarius, 3.70g. Cr-408/1a, Hersh-48 (O16/R1022, three examples cited). Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r., hook behind. Rx: Horseman r., bare-headed and carrying whip, sequence mark above, C PISO LF FRVG below. Obverse struck in high relief. EF400
218. **C. PISO L.F. FRUGI**; 67 BC, Denarius, 3.74g. Cr-408/1b, Hersh-190. Obv: Head of Apollo r., bound with taenia; key behind. Rx: Horseman r., wearing conical hat and carrying filleted palm branch; C PISO L FRVG and sequence mark l.i below. In high relief and beautifully toned. EF625
219. **M. PLAETORIUS M.F. CESTIANUS**; 67 BC, Denarius, 3.46g. Cr-409/1, Syd-809, Plaetoria 4. Obv: Winged bust of Vacuna r., CESTIANVS behind, SC before. Rx: Eagle on thunderbolt, M PLAETORIVS M F AED CVR around. Good EF425
220. **Q. POMPONIVS MUSA**; 66 BC, Denarius, 3.94g. Cr-410/7a, Syd-819a, Pomponia 18a. Obv: Head of Apollo r., tortoise behind. Rx: Terpsichore standing r., holding lyre and plectrum, Q POMPONI before, MVSA behind. Terpsichore was the Muse of Dancing. EF1650
221. **M. NONIVS SUFENAS**; 59 BC, Denarius, 3.94g. Cr-421/1, Syd-885, Nonia 1. Obv: Head of Saturn r., SVFENAS before, harpa, conical stone and S C behind. Rx: Roma seated l., crowned by Victory standing behind her; PR L [V P F] around, [S]EX NONI in exergue. VF with some encrustation on reverse425
222. **C. SERVIIVS C.F.**; 57 BC, Denarius, 4.00g. Cr-423/1, Syd-890, Servilia 15. Obv: Head of Flora r., wearing wreath of flowers, lituus behind, FLORAL PRIMVS before. Rx: Two warriors face to face with short swords upright, C SERVEIL in exergue, C F in field. EF400
223. **L. MARCIUS PHILIPPUS**; 56 BC, Denarius, 3.77g. Cr-425/1, Syd-919, Marcia 28. Obv: Diademed head of Ancus Marcius r., lituus behind, ANCVS below. Rx: Equestrian statue on arcade of five arches, PHILIPPVS behind rider, A Q V A MAR on arches. EF with some flatness1200
224. **FAUSTUS CORNELIVS SULLA**; 56 BC, Rome, Denarius, 3.73g. Cr-426/1, Syd-879, Cornelia 59. Obv: Bust of Diana r., draped and wearing diadem; above, crescent; behind, lituus; before, FAVSTVS downwards. Rx: Sulla seated l. on low platform.; on l., Bocchus kneeling r. and offering olive branch to Sulla; on r., Jugurtha kneeling with hands tied behind back; on r. FELIX downwards. Good VF800
225. **FAUSTUS CORNELIVS SULLA**; 56 BC, Denarius, 4.13g. Cr-426/3, Syd-884, Cornelia 63. Obv: Bust of Venus r., scepter and SC behind. Rx: Three military trophies, symbolizing the three triumphs celebrated by Pompey the Great, capis and lituus to either side, FAVSTVS monogram in exergue. Virtually Mint State2000
226. **Q. CASSIVS LONGINUS**; 55 BC, Denarius, 4.21g. Cr-428/1, Syd-917, Cassia 9. Obv: Veiled head of Vesta r., VEST before, Q CASSIVS behind. Rx: Curule chair within temple of Vesta; to l., urn; to r., voting tablet inscribed AC. Obverse flatly struck with some encrustation on reverse. aVF265
227. **Q. CASSIVS LONGINUS**; 55 BC, Denarius, 3.78g. Cr-428/3, Syd-916, Cassia 7. Obv: Head of Bonus Eventus r., scepter behind. Rx: Eagle on thunderbolt, between lituus and capis, Q CASSIVS below. EF750
228. **A. PLAUTIVS**; 55 BC, Denarius, 4.01g. Cr-431/1, Syd-932, Plautia 13. Obv: Turreted head of Cybele r., A PLAVTIV[S] before, AED CV[R SC] behind. Rx: Bacchius kneels r. alongside camel, extending olive branch; BACCHIVS in exergue, IVDAEVS before. Beautifully toned; from an old collection in Ipswich. Coin has full Judean legend. VF with extremely well-struck reverse800

229. **C. COELIUS CALDUS**; 51 BC, Denarius, 3.44g. Cr-437/1a, Syd-891, Coelia 4. Obv: C·COEL·CALDVS Head of the consul C. Coelius Caldus r.; below, COS and, behind, tablet inscribed L·D· Rx: CALDVS·IIIVIR Head of Sol r.; behind, oval shield decorated with thunderbolt; before, Macedonian shield. Some minor porosity. Good VF1600
230. **M. CATO**; 47-46 BC, North Africa, Denarius, 3.43g. Cr-462/1c, Syd-1052, Porcia-9, Sear, Imperators-46. Obv: Female bust draped r., M CATO PRO PR before. Rx: Victory seated r., holding patera, VICTRIX in exergue. Ex Nancy Walsh Collection. Minor areas of weak strike and some very light corrosion. VF395
231. **MN. CORDIUS RUFUS**; 46 BC, Denarius, 3.63g. Cr-463/1a, Syd-976, Cordia 2a. Obv: Jugate heads of Dioscuri r. wearing laureate caps; two stars above, RVFVS III VIR behind. Rx: Venus standing l. holding scales and scepter, Cupid on her shoulder, MN CORDIVS behind. Z graffito before face; nicely toned. VF+300

IMPERATORIAL SILVER

Rare Denarius! Aulus Alienus for Julius Caesar, Ex-Gemini

232. **AULUS ALLIENUS FOR JULIUS CAESAR**; Sicily, 47 BC, Denarius, 3.97g. Cr-457/1; Syd-1022 (R7); C-1 (80 Fr.); Sear, Imperators-54. Obv: C CAESAR [I] MP COS ITER Diademed and draped bust of Venus r. Rx: A ALLIENVS PRO COS Trinacrus standing l., r. foot on prow, holding triskeles. Ex Gemini X, 13 January 2013, lot 204 (Randy Haviland Collection). Ex Harlan J. Berk 129, 24 October 2002, lot 158. Struck by the governor of Sicily, Aulus Alienus, while Caesar was in Sicily late in 47 BC organizing the army with which he was to invade Africa and defeat the Pompeians at Thapsus. Fine+1600
233. **JULIUS CAESAR**; 44 BC, moneyer P. Sepullius Macer, Denarius, 3.93g. Cr-480/11; Syd-1072; Sear, Imperators-107b. Obv: Wreathed head of Caesar r., CAESAR before, DICT PERPETVO behind. Rx: Venus standing l., head bowed, holding scepter resting on star, P SEPVLLIVS behind, MACER before. From the same dies as Alföldi, Caesar in 44 v. Chr., pl. LIV, 19. Ex Gorny 46, 30 October 1989, lot 498. Good EF+18000
234. **JULIUS CAESAR**; Posthumous issue of 44 BC, Denarius, 3.67g. Cr-480/19, Syd-1069, Sear Imperators-112, C-8 (20 Fr.). Obv: CAESAR - PARENS PATRIAE Veiled, wreathed head r., apex behind, lituus below chin. Rx: C·COSSVTVS MARID - IANVS in form of cross, A A A F F in angles. From the same dies as Alföldi, Caesar in 44 v. Chr., pl. CXXVII, 2-5. Alföldi found 111 specimens of this denarius, from 15 obverse and 15 reverse dies. This type is one of the rarer Caesar portrait issues. While it has substantial flatness in the lower part of the obverse, the portrait is very pleasant and complete. Pleasant VF3850
235. **CASSIUS**; 42 BC, probably at Smyrna, Denarius, 4.00g. Cr-500/1; Syd-1308 (R9); Sear, Imperators-219; C-7 (200 Fr.) Obv: Tripod surmounted by cauldron, fillet hanging on either side, C CASSI on l., IMP on r. Rx: Pitcher and lituus, LENTVLVS SPINT below. This issue was always listed as extremely rare. Since Sydenham was printed about 170 coins of this issue have come into the market. That was many years ago. Now most of the examples of this wonderfully historic issue have been absorbed and soon finding examples, especially in this quality, will again become very difficult. Mint State3000
236. **MARK ANTONY**; Transalpine Gaul, 43 BC, Quinarius, 1.88g. Cr-489/4; Syd-1159; Sear, Imperators-121. Obv: M ANT IMP [Lituus], pitcher, and raven. Rx: Victory standing r., crowning trophy. VF300

Very Rare Mark Antony Denarius

237. **MARK ANTONY, STRUCK BY L. PLANCUS**; Greece, 40 BC, Denarius, 3.73g. Cr-522/4; S-1191 (R7); Sear, Imperators-255. Obv: Lituus and capis, MANTON IMP AVG III VIR R P C around. Rx: Pitcher between thunderbolt and winged caduceus; L. PLANCVS IMP ITER around. Ex Gemini X, 13 January 2013, lot 386. Ex Randy Haviland Collection. Rare; the first of this exact variety ever offered by HJB. aVF+2500
238. **MARK ANTONY**; 37 BC, 3.61g. Cr-536/4, Syd-1202, Sear Imperators-270. Obv: Bare head of Antony r., [AN]T·AVGV·R·III·VIR·R[P·C] around. Rx: IMP - TER divided by trophy holding two figure-of-eight shields, two spears and two round shields at base. Bold Fine550
239. **MARK ANTONY**; Summer 32 BC, Denarius, 3.33g. Cr-542/1, Syd-1208, Sear Imperators-346. Obv: Bare head of Antony r., artist's signature P. concealed in hair behind ear. Rx: M SILANVS AVG / Q PRO COS in two lines across field. Large scratch on reverse. Excellent portrait. aEF / Fine400
240. **MARK ANTONY**; 32-31 BC, Denarius, 3.43g. Cr-544/15; Syd-1217; C-28 (2 Fr.); Sear, Imperators-350. Obv: ANTON AVG III VIR RPC Galley r. Rx: LEG III Legionary eagle between two standards. Ex Coin Galleries Mail Bid, 13 July 1994, lot 1952. Grey toning. EF800
241. **MARK ANTONY**; 32-31 BC, Denarius, 3.33g. Cr-544/15; Syd-1217; C-28 (2 Fr.); Sear, Imperators-350. Obv: Galley r. Rx: LEG III Legionary eagle between two standards. Exceptionally beautiful. Near Mint State2000
242. **MARK ANTONY**; 32-31 BC, Denarius, 3.92g. Cr-544/20; Syd-1224; C-34; Sear, Imperators-357. Obv: ANT AVG III VIR R P C Galley r. Rx: LEG VII Legionary eagle between two standards. EF1400
243. **MARK ANTONY AND OCTAVIA**; 39 BC, Cistophorus, 11.73g. RPC-2201; C-2 (35 Fr.); Syd-1197; Sear, Imperators-262. Obv: M ANTONIVS IMP COS DESIG ITER ET TERT Head of Antony wearing ivy wreath r., lituus below, all enclosed within ivy wreath. Rx: III VIR - R P C Bust of Octavia r., on cista flanked by two snakes with intertwined tails. Bold Fine400
244. **L. PINARIUS SCARPUS, FOR MARK ANTONY**; 31 BC, before Actium, Denarius, 3.64g. Cr-546/2a; Syd-1280; Sear, Imperators-390. Obv: Head of Jupiter Ammon r. Rx: Victory advancing r. Scarpus ranks as one of the consummate survivors of the Imperial period. Despite his kinship with Julius Caesar and thus with Octavian, Scarpus served at the battle of Philippi as a commander under Mark Antony, and just before Actium Antony made him governor of Cyrenaica with command over four legions. After Antony's defeat, however, Scarpus defected to Octavian. As governor of Cyrenaica he issued rare coins first for Antony, then for Octavian. Good metal. VG400

Exceptional Lepidus Portrait

245. **LEPIDUS AND OCTAVIAN**; 42 BC, Denarius, 3.89g. Cr-495/2d, Syd-1323 var. (R6), Sear Imperators-140a, RSC-2. Obv: Head of Lepidus r., LEPIDVS PONT MAX III [V R P C] around. Rx: Head of Octavian r., C CAESAR IMP III VIR R P C around. Exceptional stern and realistic portrait of Lepidus with full clear name. Light scratches on Octavian's face. EF6000

ROMAN IMPERIAL SILVER

246. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Rome, 19 BC, Denarius, 3.74g. BM-2, Paris-221, C-513, RIC-322 (R2). Obv: Q RVSTIVS FORTVNAE ANTIAT Jugate busts r. of Fortuna Victrix holding patera and of Fortuna Felix, above bar with ram's head finials. Rx: CAESARI AVGVSTO EX S C Ornamented altar inscribed FOR RE. The reverse commemorates the Senate's erection of an altar to the Fortuna that should bring Augustus back to Rome, probably on the occasion of his return to Rome from the East in 19 BC. VF / EF1675
247. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Rome, c. 19 BC, Denarius, 3.76g. BM-29, Paris-157, C-494 (20 Fr.), RIC-299. Obv: CAESAR - AVGVSTVS Head bare r. Rx: [TVRP] ILIANVS III VIR Tarpeia, long-haired, facing, half buried by shields, hands raised. Banker's mark on obverse. Good VF1850
248. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Rome, c. 19 BC, Denarius, 3.69g. BM-29, Paris-157, C-494 (20 Fr.), RIC-299. Obv: CAESAR - AVGVSTVS Head bare r. Rx: T - VRPILIANVS - [III VIR] Tarpeia, long-haired, facing, half buried by shields, hands raised. VF1000

Exceptional Agrippa Portrait

249. **AUGUSTUS AND AGRIPPA**; Rome, 13 BC, Denarius, 3.95g. BM-112, Paris-533, C-3 (150 Fr.), RIC-408 (R2). Obv: CAESAR - AVGVSTVS Bare head of Augustus r. Rx: M AGRIPPA upwards on l., PLATORINVS IIIVIR upwards on r., Bare head of Agrippa r. Magnificent portrait of Agrippa. Struck on a broad flan. aEF+12000
250. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Emerita, 25-23 BC, Denarius, 3.73g. BM-282 pl. 5.5 (same dies), Paris-1049 pl. XLII (same dies), RIC-7b, C-405 (30 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAESAR - AVGVST Head bare l. Rx: P CARISIVS LEG PRO PR Short sword, helmet with elaborate crest seen frontally, slanting double-ax. The colony of Emerita Augusta was founded in 25 BC by P. Carisius, governor of Lusitania, for veterans of legions V Alauda and X Gemina who had recently participated in Augustus' campaigns in northwestern Spain. Planchet curved, but rare reverse type. Fine / VF950
251. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.80g. BM-305, C-21 (6 Fr.), Paris-1272, RIC-547a. Obv: Bare head of Augustus r., no legend, dotted border. Rx: AVGVSTVS below Capricorn r. holding globe attached to rudder and bearing cornucopia. VF425
252. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.61g. BM-345, C-25 (6 Fr.), Paris-1269, RIC-128 (R2). Obv: Bare head of Augustus r., no legend. Rx: [A] VGVSTVS in exergue, Capricorn l. holding globe attached to rudder, above its back cornucopia bound with fillet. VF400
253. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Hispania Baetica (Colonia Patricia or Cordoba), c. 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.85g. BM-352, Paris-1225, C-47 (4 Fr.), RIC-51 (R). Obv: Laureate head of Augustus r., no legend. Rx: [CAESAR] above, AVGVSTVS below, two laurel branches. Good Fine / VF500
254. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Colonia Patricia, c. 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.52g. BM-354, Paris-1333, C-51, RIC-52 (but denarius omitted by mistake). Obv: Laureate head of Augustus r., no legend. Rx: CAESAR / AVGVSTVS S - P / Q - R Shield inscribed CL V (faint) between two laurel branches. aVF / VF550
255. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Hispania Baetica (Colonia Patricia or Cordoba), 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.70g. BM-373, Paris-1202, C-190 (5 Fr.), RIC-105a. Obv: CAESARI - AVGVSTO Head laureate r. Rx: MAR - VLT across field, Round temple, within which legionary eagle and two standards. Obverse encrusted. aVF / VF450
256. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Colonia Patricia, c. 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.67g. BM-376, Paris-1164, C-210 (2 Fr.), RIC-75a. Obv: CAESAR - AVGVSTVS Head bare r. Rx: OB CIVIS / SERVATOS above and below oak wreath, whose ties flutter upwards in center. Fine+300
257. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Hispania Baetica (Colonia Patricia or Cordoba), 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.58g. BM-397 var.; Paris-1190, pl. XLVII (same dies); C-78 (6 Fr.), RIC-99. Obv: CAESAR[II] above, AVGVST[O] in exergue, Processional quadriga (tensa) proceeding r., Victories on front and side panels, small quadriga atop pediment crowning front panel, all horses look ahead (r.). Rx: SPQR PAREN[T] above, CONS SVO in exergue, Toga palmata flanked by eagle-tipped scepter and wreath. Coins of this type, contrary to their traditional interpretation, show on one side the triumphal attributes that were apparently voted to Augustus in 19 BC for his recovery of Roman standards from Parthia, and on the other side the ceremonial quadriga (tensa) in which those ornaments were transported to the circus when games were held there: see Clay, Münzprägung des Nero, Num. Zeitschrift 96, 1982, pp. 45-7. VF450
258. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Colonia Patricia, 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.56g. C-279 (6 Fr.); rev. legend var. of BM-385, Paris-1210, and RIC-119. Obv: CAESARI - AVGVSTO Head laureate r. Rx: Ceremonial chariot (tensa) containing eagle-tipped scepter and with four miniature horses leaping from front rim, inside round temple, [S] PQ - R across field. An apparently unpublished asymmetrical division of the reverse legend left and right of the temple, SPQ - R instead of the normal SP - QR. Not in the standard catalogues, not in CoinArchives Pro or Berk photofile covering catalogues of c. 1970-1990. Scratch on cheek. VF775
259. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, 19 BC, Denarius, 3.59g. BM-417, Paris-1132, C-265 (6 Fr.), RIC-86a. Obv: CAESAR - AVGVSTVS Head bare r. Rx: SIGNIS / RECEPTIS S - P / Q - R Shield inscribed [CL V] between legionary eagle (on l.) and standard (on r.). VF500
260. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 15-12 BC, Denarius, 3.63g. BM-451, Paris-1373, C-137, RIC-167a. Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head bare r. Rx: IMPX in exergue, Bull butting r., pawing ground and flicking tail. aEF875
261. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 15-12 BC, Denarius, 3.77g. BM-451,

- Paris-1373, C-137, RIC-167a. Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head bare r. Rx: IMP X in exergue, Bull butting r., pawing ground and flicking tail. Banker's mark on obverse. VF500
262. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, c. 36-31 BC, Denarius, 3.38g. BM-604, pl. 15.1 (same obv. die), Paris-41-42, pl. II (both also from our obv. die), C-66, RIC-255. Obv: Head bare of Octavian l., no legend. Rx: CAESAR - DIVI F across field, Victory alighting r. on globe, holding wreath and palm. This coin is considerably scarcer with Victory right than with Victory left. Planchet slightly curved in center. Pleasant Fine350
263. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, c. 36-27 BC, Denarius, 3.61g. BM-605, Paris-29, C-69 (5 Fr.), RIC-252 (S). Obv: Bare head of Octavian r., no legend, border of dots. Rx: CAESAR - DIVI F Pax standing l. holding branch and cornucopia, border of dots. The dotted rather than line borders on obverse and reverse prove that this type and another with Pax on obverse and figure of emperor on reverse are the earliest types of the CAESAR DIVI F issue. Bold Fine / VF400
264. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, 19-15 BC, Denarius, 3.69g. C-182 (6 Fr.), RIC-472, BM-666, Paris-936. Obv: AVGVST[VS] Head bare r. Rx: IOVI - OLV Six-columned temple, shield in pediment, three palmettes as acroteria. Scarce: Sutherland's die study included 38 specimens, from 30 obverse and 30 reverse dies (Revue num. 1974, p. 51). Area of weak strike. Fine+425
265. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, c. 36-31 BC, Denarius, 3.69g. BM-625, Paris-57, RIC-265a, C-119. Obv: Head bare of Octavian r., no legend. Rx: IMP - CAESAR across field, Trophy set on prow, crossed rudder and anchor behind. aVF450
266. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, c. 36-31 BC, Denarius, 3.42g. BM-633, Paris-68, RIC-271, C-124 (5 Fr.). Obv: Laureate head of Octavian as Apollo r., no legend. Rx: IMP - CAESAR across field, Naked figure of Octavian holding spear and parazonium atop rostral column. Bankers' marks on face and in field; some remaining dirt. VF350
267. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, c. 36-31 BC, Denarius, 3.75g. BM-633, Paris-68, RIC-271, C-124. Obv: Laureate head of Octavian as Apollo r., no legend. Rx: IMP - CAESAR across field, Naked figure of emperor atop rostral column. Bold Fine450
268. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, c. 36-31 BC, Denarius, 3.69g. BM-644, Paris-87, RIC-274, C-44. Obv: IMP below helmeted head of Mars r. Rx: CAESAR on round shield, with eight-rayed star at center and crossed sword and spear behind. Bold Fine275
269. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 15-12 BC, Denarius, 3.70g. BM-451, Paris-1373, C-137, RIC-167a. Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head bare r. Rx: IMP X in exergue, Bull butting r., pawing ground and flicking tail. Planchet slightly curved at 5h. VF400
270. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 15-12 BC, Denarius, 3.75g. BM-461, Paris-1399, C-144, RIC-171a. Obv: AVGVSTV[S] - DIVI F Head bare r. Rx: IMP - X across field, ACT in exergue, Apollo standing l. holding plectrum and lyre. Fine / Fine+275
271. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 12-11 BC, Denarius, 3.79g. BM-465, Paris-1403, C-147 (10 Fr.), RIC-174. Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head bare r. Rx: IMP XI below Capricorn r. holding globe. Small banker's mark on obverse. EF1100
272. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 11-9 BC, Denarius, 3.73g. BM-478, Paris-1419, C-165 (2 Fr.), RIC-180 (R2). Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head bare r. Rx: IMP - XII across middle field, ACT in exergue, Apollo standing l. holding plectrum and lyre. VF500
273. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 11-9 BC, Denarius, 3.69g. BM-484, Paris-1445, C-163 (2 Fr.), RIC-193a (R). Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head laureate r. Rx: ACT in exergue, IMP - XII across field, Actian Apollo standing r. holding plectrum and lyre. aVF / Fine400
274. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 8 BC, Denarius, 3.74g. BM-500, Paris-1461, C-40 (6 Fr.), RIC-199. Obv: [AVGVSTVS] - DIVI F Head laureate r. Rx: [C CAES] above, AVGV[S] F in exergue, Gaius Caesar galloping r., wearing bulla around neck, holding sword and shield, legionary eagle and two standards behind him. In 8 BC Augustus introduced his twelve-year-old grandson and adopted son Gaius Caesar to the Roman army in Gaul. The bulla around Gaius' neck signifies that he was still a child and had not yet assumed the toga of manhood (J. Pollini, Gaius Caesar on horseback, Mus. Notes 30, 1985). VF400
- Unpublished Left-facing Denarius**
275. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Lugdunum, 8 BC, Denarius, 3.78g. Unpublished as denarius with portrait left: cf. two corresponding aurei from the same obv. die, Giard, Lyon-70, p. 97, pl. XIX. Obv: AVGVSTVS - DIVI F Head laureate l. Rx: C CAES above, AVGV[S] F in exergue, Gaius Caesar on horse galloping r., he wears bulla around neck, holds sword and shield, behind him are a legionary eagle and two standards. In 8 BC Augustus introduced his twelve-year-old grandson and adopted son Gaius Caesar to the Roman army in Gaul. The bulla around Gaius' neck signifies that he was still a child and had not yet assumed the toga of manhood (J. Pollini, Gaius Caesar on horseback, Mus. Notes 30, 1985). Portrait left was very rare in this issue. For the C CAES AVGV[S] F reverse type, only three aurei with portrait left seem to be known, from two different obverse dies. Our new denarius with portrait left is from one of the same two obverse dies, Giard's D320, pl. XIX, 70/1a-b, with enlargement of 70/1b. With the other reverse type of the issue, IMP XIII, Barbarian offers child to Augustus seated on platform, portrait left is attested on just three coins, two aurei and one denarius, all three from the same pair of dies: Giard-66-67, p. 95, pl. XVIII. That obverse die is different from the two portrait-left dies known to have been used for the C CAES AVGV[S] F reverse type. A few light scratches on reverse. VF1250
276. **TIBERIUS**; 14-37 AD, Lugdunum, Denarius, 3.78g. BM-48, Paris-28, RIC-30, C-16. Obv: TI CAESAR DIVI - AVG F AVGVSTVS Head laureate r. Rx: PONTIF - MAXIM Livia seated r. holding scepter and branch, throne legs ornamented, footstool below feet, single line beneath throne. Choice EF1250
277. **TIBERIUS**; 14-37 AD, Lugdunum, Denarius, 3.78g. BM-34, C-16, Paris-16, RIC-26. Obv: TI CAESAR DIVI - AVG F AVGVSTVS Head laureate r. Rx: PONTIF - MAXIM Livia seated r. holding scepter and branch, throne has plain legs, two lines below. VF450
278. **TIBERIUS**; 14-37 AD, Lugdunum, 15-16 AD, Denarius, 3.85g. BM-8, Paris-5, C-48 (5 Fr.), RIC-4 (R2). Obv: TI CAESAR DIVI - AVG F AVGVSTVS Head laureate r. Rx: IMP VII in exergue, TR POT[us] XVII around, Tiberius holding branch and eagle-tipped scepter in triumphal quadriga r., all horses look r. This type also occurs with TR POT XVI, but much more rarely, so [XVII] is likely to be the correct restoration here. Commemorates the triumph celebrated by Tiberius two years earlier, in January 13 AD, for successes over the Germans won in 12 AD. Rare and historical reverse type. aEF2000
279. **INDIAN IMITATION OF TIBERIUS DENARIUS**; 14-37 AD, Denarius, 3.32g. Cf RIC-30 for Roman prototype. Obv: Stylized head of Tiberius r., blundered inscription around. Rx: Stylized depiction of Livia as Pax seated r. holding scepter and branch, blundered inscription around. So many Roman gold and silver coins were paid out in India by traders, that Roman aurei and denarii became a sort of local currency there, and were according imitated when the supply of originals ran low, sometimes with legend errors as on our specimen. aVF425
- Ex Sir Hermann Weber 1893**
280. **CALIGULA**; 37-41 AD, Lugdunum, 37 AD, Denarius, 3.80g. BM-4, Paris-3, C-11 (12 Fr.), RIC-2. Obv: Bare head of Caligula r., legend ends TR POT COS. Rx: No legend, radiate head of Divus Augustus r. between two stars. These dies not illustrated in Giard, Monnayage de Lyon. Ex Sotheby, 29-30 June 1893, Hermann D. Weber, pl. I, 8. According to J. Spring, this was "the first British ancient coin catalogue to contain photographic plates". Weber here sold off his Roman coins, in order to concentrate on his famous collection of Greek coins that was published in three volumes by Spink in 1922-29. "Caligula at first intended to bestow on Tiberius similar honours to those enjoyed by Augustus, but desisted in face of the passive resistance of the Senate. The two stars (on his earliest aurei and denarii) suggest two 'divi', Augustus and (Tiberius)" (Mattingly, BMC I, p. cxlvi). Beautifully toned. Choice EF19750
- Exquisite Claudius Fourrée**
281. **CLAUDIUS I**; 41-54 AD, British mint, 50-51 AD, Plated Denarius, 2.59g. Reproducing the solid-silver piece BM-66, RIC-54, and C-93. Obv: TI CLAVD CAESAR AVG P M TR P X IMP P P Head laureate r. Rx: SPQR / P P / OB C S in oak wreath. The reverse legend states: "The Senate and the Roman People (dedicate this wreath to Claudius) the father of his country because he has saved the lives of his fellow-citizens". Ex Berk 141, 5 January 2005, lot 219. Our piece comes from the Wortham hoard of at least 172 plated denarii of Claudius that was unearthed near Wortham in Suffolk, England in the 1990s, from which the British Museum acquired 90 pieces and recorded and photographed most of the rest. These plated denarii were apparently produced in Britain not many years after Claudius' conquest of the island in 43 AD. The excellent style of the plated denarii in this hoard could suggest that the Romans themselves may have been trying to stretch their silver. This is by far the finest of the examples we have handled from the hoard. Mint State5500
- Extraordinary Nero Denarius**
Among the Finest We've Handled in 50 Years
282. **NERO**; 54-68 AD, Rome, 65-6 AD, Denarius, 3.31g. BM-90, Paris-228, RIC-60 (Rare), C-314 (3 Fr.). Obv: NERO CAESAR - AVGVSTVS Head laureate r. Rx: SALVS in exergue, Salus seated l., resting l. elbow on armrest and holding patera with r. hand. Beautifully toned; expressive portrait and razor-sharp detail on both sides. Mint State8500
283. **NERO**; 54-68 AD, Denarius, Rome, 66-8 AD, 3.09g. Paris-233, C-121, BM-77 note, RIC-64 (R3). Obv: [I]MP NERO CAESAR AVGVSTVS Head laureate r. Rx: IVPPITER CVSTOS Jupiter seated l. holding thunderbolt and scepter. Ex HJB BBS 154, 2007, lot 281 Toned. Mint State1850
284. **GALBA**; 68-69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.30g. BM-34 corr, C-287, Paris-76, RIC-167. Obv: IMP SER GALBA AVG Head bare r. Rx: S P Q R / OB / C S in three lines within oak wreath. Bare-headed portrait, wrongly described as laureate in BMC. Beautifully toned. Choice EF11500
- Exquisite Galba**
285. **GALBA**; 68-69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.57g. RIC-170 corr., C-287, BM-34 corr. Obv: IMP SER GALBA AVG Head bare r. Rx: Wreath with SPQR / OB / C S within. Bare-headed portrait, wrongly described as laureate in BMC and RIC. Ex HJB BBS 124, 2002, lot 420. Exquisite portrait. EF with luster4150
286. **GALBA**; 68-69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.13g. BM-12, Paris-101, C-58, RIC-4. Obv: [I]MP SER GALBA CAESAR AVG P M Head laureate r. Rx: D[IVA] - AVGVSTA Livia standing l. holding patera and scepter. Rare latest obverse legend of reign including P M. Only one specimen in Reka Devnia hoard with this reverse type. Fine / VG250
- Extremely Rare Vitellius and his Children**
287. **VITELLIUS**; 69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.28g. RIC-79 (citing Rome), C-5 (100 Fr.), BM-12 note. Obv: A VITELLIVS GERMAN IMP TR P Head laureate r. Rx: LIBERI - IMP - GERMAN Draped busts of Vitellius' son, acclaimed "Germanicus" by the army, and his daughter, Vitellia, facing each other. The rare earliest variety of a rare dynastic type: with GERMAN rather than GERM in obverse legend this denarius is not in Paris or BM. An illustrated specimen, from different dies than ours: Münzhaltung Basel 3, 1935, Waldeck 225. Coins of Vitellius and his children are scarce but they only come in VG to Fine condition. A coin such as we are offering in EF is quite rare and highly desirable. The reverse exhibits some areas of light porosity. EF5750
288. **VITELLIUS**; 69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 2.98g. BM-39, Paris-77, C-111 (3 Fr.), RIC-109. Obv: A VITELLIVS GERM IMP AVG TR P Laureate head r. Rx: XV - VIR SACR FAC Tripod-lebes with dolphin lying r. on top and raven standing r. below. Very nicely toned. VF+1500
289. **VITELLIUS**; 69 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.10g. BM-39, Paris-77, C-111, RIC-109. Obv: [A VITE]LLIVS GERM IMP AVG [TR P] Laureate head r. Rx: XV VIR - SACR FAC Tripod-lebes with dolphin lying r. on top and raven standing r. on strut below. Fine425
290. **VESPASIAN**; 69-79 AD, Rome, 70 AD, Denarius, 3.16g. RIC-2 (C2), BM-35, Paris-23, C-226 (5 Fr.). Obv: [IMP CA]ESAR VESPASIANVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: IVDAEA in exergue, Mourning Jewess seated r. on ground beside trophy. Toned EF1400

291. **VESPASIAN**; 69-79 AD, Rome, 70 AD, Denarius, 2.92g. RIC-2 (C2), BM-35, Paris-23, C-226 (5 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: IVDAEA in exergue, Mourning Jewess seated r. on ground beside trophy. aVF .
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292. **VESPASIAN**; 69-79 AD, Rome, 70 AD, Denarius, 3.36g. RIC-2 (C2), BM-35, Paris-23, C-226 (5 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: IVDAEA in exergue, Mourning Jewess seated r. on ground beside trophy. VF+ .
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293. **VESPASIAN, DIVUS**; Died 79 AD, Rome, 80-1 AD, Denarius, 3.09g. RIC-357 (C2), BM-129, Paris-101, C-497. Obv: DIVVS AVGVSTVS VESPASIANVS Head laureate r. Rx: Two capricorns, horned and bearded, on globe supporting shield inscribed S C; the globe is between the capricorns and their tails are not shown. Good VF500
294. **TITUS**; 79-81 AD, Rome, 80 AD, Denarius, 3.28g. RIC-115 (C2), BM-43, Paris-37, C-303 (2 Fr.). Obv: IMP.TITVS CAES VESPASIAN AVG P.M. Head laureate r. Rx: TR P IX IMP XV COS VIII P P Elephant standing l. Fine225
295. **JULIA TITI**; Rome, 79-80 AD, Denarius, 2.95g. RIC-388 (C2), BM-141, Paris-106, C-14 (30 Fr.). Obv: IVLIA AVGVSTA TITI AVGVSTI F Bust diademed, draped r., hair in plait down back. Rx: VENVS AVGVST Venus viewed half from back, nude except for drapery around thighs, standing r. leaning on column, holding helmet and scepter. Only 8 specimens in Reka Devnia hoard, so considerably scarcer than RIC's "C2" would appear to indicate. Good VF1875
296. **DOMITIAN**; 81-96 AD, Rome, 86/7 AD, Denarius, 3.51g. RIC-509 (C), BM-106, Paris-105, RSC-215a. Obv: TR P VI. Rx: IMP XIII COS XIII CENS P P P Minerva standing l. holding thunderbolt and spear, shield behind her. Scarce with these titles: no specimen in Reka Devnia hoard, one in Berk photofile. Nicely toned. VF+300
- Games Issue**
297. **DOMITIAN**; 81-96 AD, Rome, 88/9 AD, Denarius, 3.39g. RIC-596 (C2), BM-131, Paris-120, C-76/7 (25 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAES DOMIT AVG - GERM P M TR P VIII Head laureate r. Rx: COS XIII - LVD SAEC FEC Herald walking l., wearing feathered cap, holding wand and shield decorated with helmeted head of Minerva facing r. The reverse legend states that Domitian has celebrated Saecular games, and the type probably shows one of the heralds who announced his intention to celebrate them. Rare: not represented in Reka Devnia hoard. The new RIC rates this coin as far commoner than it actually is, probably because its historical reverse type, desired by collectors and readily saleable by dealers, has led to its over-representation in collections and among the illustrated pieces in the sales literature. Darkly toned from being in the earth. The earthen vestiges on the reverse give this coin a very pleasant cameo effect. EF1450
298. **NERVA**; 96-98 AD, Rome, 97 AD, Denarius, 3.31g. BM-33, Paris-24, C-48, RIC-24. Obv: TR POT, Head of Nerva laureate r. Rx: COS III PATER PA[TRIAE] Priestly implements: ladle, sprinkler, pitcher, lituus. VF / Fine275
- Exquisite Bust Type**
299. **TRAJAN**; 98-117 AD, Rome, 116 AD, Denarius, 3.40g. Woytek, MIR-558h (8 spec.); BM-601; bust var. of RIC-353 and C-272. Obv: legend ending PARTHICO; bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: P M TR P COS - VI P P SPQR Virtus standing r., l. foot on helmet, holding reversed spear and parazonium. Ex Coin Galleries, 10 April 1996, lot 295. Scarce and elaborate bust type. EF600
300. **HADRIAN**; 117-138 AD, Rome, c. 125 AD, Denarius, 2.83g. BM-361, C-349, RIC-161. Obv: HADRIANVS - AVGVSTVS Bust laureate r., fold of cloak on far shoulder. Rx: CO - S - III Roma standing l. holding Victory and spear, fold of cloak hangs from r. forearm. VF160
- Exceptional Sabina**
301. **SABINA**; Rome, Denarius, 3.51g. BM-915, C-81, RIC-410. Obv: SABINA AVGVSTA - HADRIANI AVG P P Bust r. with plait falling on neck. Rx: VES - TA Vesta, veiled, seated l., holding Palladium in r. hand and transverse scepter in lowered l. arm. Ex Berk 133, 22 July 2003, lot 360. Of exceptional quality. Mint State950
302. **AELIVS AS CAESAR**; 136-138 AD, Rome, 137 AD, Denarius, 3.11g. BM-981, C-1 var. (12 Fr.), RIC-436. Obv: [L] AELIVS - CAESAR Head bare r. Rx: CONCORD TR POT COS II Concordia seated l. holding patera and resting l. elbow on large cornucopia reaching to ground. Scarce, 30 specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. High relief portrait. Brilliant luster. EF975
303. **FAUSTINA I, DIVA**; Died 140 AD, Rome, Denarius, 3.07g. BM-339, C-1 (10 Fr.), RIC-343. Obv: DIVA - FAVSTINA Bust draped r. Rx: AED DIV FAVSTINAE Faustina's cult statue in her temple in the Roman Forum, behind fence. Ex Berk 102, 27 May 1998, lot 430. The temple depicted on this coin still exists in Rome. aEF / EF300
304. **MARCUS AURELIUS**; 161-180 AD, Rome, 166 AD, Denarius, 3.62g. BM-395, C-437, RIC-146. Obv: With victory title ARMENIACVS, Head laureate r. Rx: PAX AVG TR - P XX COS III Pax standing l. holding branch and cornucopia. Mint State450
305. **MARCUS AURELIUS**; 161-180 AD, Rome, 167 AD, Denarius, 3.00g. BM-435, C-882, RIC-171. Obv: M ANTONINVS AVG ARM - PARTH MAX Laureate head r. Rx: TR P XXI IMP III COS III Aequitas standing l. holding scales and cornucopia. Toned Mint State500
306. **LUCIUS VERUS**; 161-169 AD, Rome, 168 AD, Denarius, 2.90g. BM-478, C-316, RIC-590. Obv: L VERVS AVG ARM - PARTH MAX Head laureate r. Rx: TR P VIII IMP - V COS III Aequitas standing l. holding scales and cornucopia. Not common; 23 specimens in the Sofia portion of the Reka Devnia hoard. VF250
307. **LUCILLA**; Rome, Denarius, 3.05g. BM-356, C-90, RIC-787. Obv: LVCILLA - AVGVSTA Bust draped r. Rx: VENVS - VICTRIX Venus standing l. holding Victory and shield set on helmet. EF / VF300
308. **COMMODUS**; 177-192 AD, Rome, 191 AD, Denarius, 1.74g. BM-298, C-127 (6 Fr.), RIC-220. Obv: M COMM ANT P FE - L AVG BRIT P P Head laureate r. Rx:

FIDEI COH P M TR P - XVI COS VI "The Loyalty of the Cohorts" standing l. holding two wheat ears and vexillum. Not a common type: 33 specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. Underweight specimen. EF265

309. **COMMODUS**; 177-192 AD, Rome, 192 AD, Denarius, 3.49g. BM-343, C-195 (5 Fr.), RIC-253. Obv: L AEL AVREL COMM AVG P FEL Bust r. of Commodus as Hercules wearing lionskin. Rx: Bow, club, and quiver, inscription HERCVLI ROMAN[O AVG], "To the Emperor, the Roman Hercules". Rare: only four specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. VF / Fine+250

Rare Mint

310. **PERTINAX**; 193 AD, Alexandria, Denarius, 2.45g. C-43 (50 Fr.); cf. BM-13 and RIC-11a (mint of Rome). Obv: IMP CAES P HELV - PERTIN AV[G] Head laureate r. Rx: PROVID - DEOR COS II The Human Race standing l., raising both forearms towards star in field. Ex Berk 53, 27 April 1988, lot 315. Much scarcer than Pertinax' commonest Alexandrian denarius, with type OPI DIVIN, but not as rare as his third Alexandrian type, PROVID DEOR with the figure stretching out her whole arms, not just her forearms, towards the star. These Alexandrian denarii of Pertinax are not in the standard catalogues, because they have only recently been distinguished from his Rome-mint pieces; see for example R. Bickford-Smith, Rivista ital. di numismatica XCVI, 1994/5, p. 54. Choice EF3250

Manlia Scantilla, Ex Ryan, Vierordt and Imhoof-Blumer

311. **MANLIA SCANTILLA**; Rome, 193 AD, Denarius, 3.45g. C-2, RIC-7A. Obv: MANLIA SCAN - TILLA AVG Bust draped r. Rx: IVNO RE - GINA Juno, veiled, standing l. holding patera and scepter, peacock at feet. Ex Berk 72, 4 August 1992, lot 249. Ex Leu 54, 1990 lot 265. Ex Ryan 1951, lot 2206. Ex Laughlin. Ex Vierordt 1923, lot 1790. Ex Imhoof-Blumer lot 1053, J. Hirsch 18, 1907. One could not find a more pedigreed denarius of Manlia Scantilla, dating back over 100 years. Planchet defect from striking in the lower part of the empress' jaw. Toned EF8000

Rare Didia Clara Denarius

312. **DIDIA CLARA**; Rome, Denarius, 2.56g. BM-14, C-2 (300 Fr.), RIC-10 (R3). Obv: DIDIA CLA - RA AVG Bust draped r. Rx: HILA - R - [TE]MPOR Hilaritas standing l. holding long palm and cornucopia. Acquired from Scheiner, 1994. Rare. The Reka Devnia hoard contained only two denarii of this lady, compared to 11 of Didius Julianus and around 60 of Pertinax. VF3150

Unique Niger Denarius

313. **PESCENNIUS NIGER**; 193-194 AD, Caesarea, Denarius, 2.78g. Zedelius, Münzprägung von Pertinax bis Clodius Albinus, p. 56, pl. XI.5 (this coin); bust and rev. type var. of C-68 (Gnecchi coll., 200 Fr.) = BMC 312A note. Obv: IMP CAES C PESC - NIGER IVST AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from behind. Rx: SALVTI - AVGVSTI Salus standing r., holding snake and feeding it from patera, without altar below. Ex M & M List 358, July 1974, lot 30, the sole specimen known to Zedelius. Apparently unique with draped and cuirassed bust seen from behind on the obverse, and the SALVTI AVGVSTI type without altar at Salus' feet on the reverse. The same SALVTI AVGVSTI type without altar is also known combined with Niger's draped and cuirassed bust seen from the front, Zedelius pl. XI.2-3, also very rare, and the draped and cuirassed bust type seen from behind is known coupled with three other reverse types, namely SALVTI AVGVSTI with altar, IVSTITIA AVGVSTI standing left, and FIDEI EXERCITVI Three standards, the middle one with a medallion inscribed VIC / AVG, Zedelius pl. XI.6-10. All five of these illustrated denarii are from the same obverse die as our coin, underlining the rarity of this draped and cuirassed bust type seen from behind on Niger's denarii. The normal bust type on Niger's denarii, at both Caesarea and Antioch, was of course his plain Head laureate right. EF5500
314. **PESCENNIUS NIGER**; 193-194 AD, Antioch, Denarius, 2.68g. Obv. legend var. of BM-299, RIC-5, and C-10 (200 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAES C PESC - EN NIG IVSI AVG Head laureate r. Rx: BON[I] EV - ENTVS Fides Publica standing l. holding plate of fruit and two wheat ears. Unusual obverse legend with only NIG not NIGER. Our obverse legend, with IVST not IVSI, is recorded by Ted Buttrely in Num. Chronicle 152, 1992, President's Address, p. viii, but without specification of the location of the coin and the relevant reverse type Excellent portrait with full name. EF3950
315. **CLODIUS ALBINUS AS CAESAR**; 193-195 AD, Rome, 194-5 AD, Denarius, 3.06g. BM-95, C-48 (12 Fr.), RIC-7. Obv: [D C]LOD SEPT - ALBIN CA[ES] Head bare r. Rx: MINER - [PACI]F COS II Minerva standing l. holding branch and shield on ground, spear rests against her l. arm. EF1550
316. **CLODIUS ALBINUS AS CAESAR**; 193-195 AD, Rome, 194-5 AD, Denarius, 3.10g. BM-95, C-48 (12 Fr.), RIC-7. Obv: D - CLOD SEPT - ALBIN CAES Head bare r. Rx: [MIN]ER - PA - CIF COS II Minerva standing l. holding branch and shield on ground, spear rests against her l. arm. Ex Pegasi, April 2000. VF300
- Exceptional Double Portrait**
One of the best HJB has Handled in 50 Years
317. **SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS AND JULIA DOMNA**; 193-211 AD, Rome, 201-2 AD, Denarius, 3.49g. BM-342, C-3 (60 Fr.), RIC-273 (R2). Obv: SEVERVS - PIVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: IVLIA - AVGVSTA Bust draped r. Ex Berk 93, 14 November 1996, lot 330. Very rare: no specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. Minor flan crack at 6h. Mint State4000
318. **SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS**; 193-211 AD, Rome, 206 AD, Denarius, 2.60g. BM-496, C-480 (5 Fr.), RIC-202. Obv: SEVERVS - PIVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: P M TR P XIII COS III P P Septimius on horse prancing r., holding spear horizontally by waist. Rare: only five specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. VF250
- Luna in Biga**
319. **JULIA DOMNA**; Rome, 215-217 AD, Denarius, 3.15g. BM-10, C-105, RIC-379c. Obv: IVLI PIA - FELIX AVG Bust draped r. Rx: LVNA LVCIFERA Luna with crescent on head in biga of horses prancing l. Rare: only three specimens in Reka Devnia hoard. Very rare type. Beautifully struck. Obverse in high relief. Choice EF...

	Macrinus Antoninianus	1200
320.	MACRINUS ; 217-218 AD, Rome, 217 AD, Antoninianus, 4.03g. RSC-126b, RIC-95, bust var. of BM-27. Obv: IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., with short beard. Rx: SECVRITAS TEMPORVM Securitas seated l. before altar, holding scepter in r. hand and supporting head with l. hand. Ex CNG 69, 8 June 2005, lot 1669. Rare, like all antoniniani of Macrinus: only two specimens with this reverse type in Reka Devnia hoard. Toned EF	1100
	Very Rare Diadumenian Antoninianus	
321.	DIADUMENIAN AS CAESAR ; 217-218 AD, Antoninianus, Rome, 217 AD, 5.36g. C-11 (80 Fr.), BM-82 note, RIC-106. Obv: M OPEL DIADVMENIANVS CAES Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: PRINC IVVENTVTIS Diadumenian standing l. holding baton and scepter, two standards behind him topped by eagle and wreath respectively. Very rare denomination for Diadumenian, since Macrinus halted the production of antoniniani soon after the beginning of his reign. Only the 25th antoninianus of Diadumenian known to C. Clay from his material covering many public and private collections, dealers' stocks, and published sources. These 25 coins come from five obverse dies, two with bust type as our coin and three with bust radiate draped seen from behind, and from ten reverse dies. Ex Berk 149, 24 May 2006, lot 360. With only one antoninianus against 83 denarii of Diadumenian in the Reka Devnia hoard, antoniniani of the ephemeral Caesar seem to be almost one hundred times rarer than his denarii. Slightly granular, but EF	4250
322.	ORBIANA ; Rome, c. 226 AD, Denarius, 3.54g. BM-287, C-3 (20 Fr.), RIC-321. Obv: SALL BARBIA - ORBIANA AVG Bust draped r. wearing stephane. Rx: CONCORDI - A - [A]VGG Concordia seated l. holding patera and double cornucopia. Some minor porosity. VF	400
323.	JULIA PAULA ; Auxiliary Mint, Denarius, 2.81g. BM-321. C-16 (6 Fr.), RIC-216. Obv: IVLLIA PAVLA AVG Bust draped r. Rx: CONCORDIA AVGG Concordia seated l. on curule chair, holding patera and double cornucopia. Ex Berk 66, 11 June 1991, lot 329. Of exceptional quality. Mint State	950
324.	MAXIMUS AS CAESAR ; Rome, Denarius, 3.20g. BM-118, C-1 (20 Fr.), RIC-1. Obv: IVL VERVVS MAXIMVS CAES Bare-headed, draped bust r. Rx: PIETAS AVG Priestly implements: lituus, knife, pitcher, ladle, whisk. Toned VF+	750
325.	PUPIENUS ; 238 AD. Rome. Denarius, 3.09g. BM 46, C-22 (10 Fr.), RIC-4. Obv: IMP C M CLOD VPPIENVS AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: PAX - PVBLICA Pax seated l. holding branch and transverse scepter. Choice EF	1500
326.	PUPIENUS ; 238 AD, Denarius, 3.14g. RIC-2, C-12 (10 Fr.). Obv: IMP C M CLOD VPPIENVS AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: IOVI CONSE - RVATORI Jupiter standing l. holding thunderbolt and scepter. Ex HJB BBS 123, 2001, lot 591. Rare reverse type: not present in Eauze hoard among 18 denarii of Pupienus. Some iridescent toning. Mint State	1650
327.	PUPIENUS ; 238 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.83g. BM-92, C-21 (10 Fr.), RIC-11b. Obv: IMP CAES VPPIEN MAXIMVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: Clasp hands, legend PATRES SENATVS, "Fathers of the Senate". A bit granular. VF	900
328.	BALBINUS ; 238 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 4.93g. BM-67, C-3, RIC-10. Obv: IMP CAES D CAEL BALBINVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: CONCORDIA AVGG Clasp hands. Nicely toned. EF	1500
329.	PHILIP I ; 244-249 AD, Rome, 248 AD, Antoninianus, 3.79g. RIC-12, C-173. Obv: IMP PHILIPPVS AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: SAECVLARES AVGG Lion standing r., I (=officina 1) in exergue. One of the famous Animal series commemorating Philip's millennial games, the first issue of the Roman coinage to bear officina numbers. EF	225
330.	PHILIP I ; 244-249 AD, Rome, 248 AD, Antoninianus, 4.25g. RIC-15, C-178 (2 Fr.). Obv: IMP PHILIPPVS AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: SAECVLARES AVGG Wolf standing l. suckling twins (first twin seated, second kneeling) and turning back head to lick them; II (officina 2) in exergue. EF	200
331.	PHILIP I ; 244-249 AD, Rome, 248 AD, Antoninianus, 3.36g. RIC-24c, C-193. Obv: IMP PHILIPPVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: SAECVLARES AVGG Cippus inscribed COS / III. Commemorating the cippus inscribed with an account of the preparation and carrying out of the Saecular Games, which was set up in Rome as a record for future ages. aVF / EF	175
332.	RESTORED COINAGE OF TRAJAN DECIUS FOR DIVUS VESPASIAN ; 249-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 2.77g. RIC-80, C-652. Obv: DIVO VESPASIANO Head radiate r. Rx: CONSECRATIO Altar. Scarce. aVF	125
333.	RESTORED COINAGE OF TRAJAN DECIUS FOR DIVUS VESPASIAN ; 249-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.25g. RIC-80, C-652. Obv: DIVO VESPASIANO Head radiate r. Rx: CONSECRATIO Altar. Scarce. Good VF	250
334.	RESTORED COINAGE OF TRAJAN DECIUS FOR DIVUS TRAJAN ; 249-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.33g. RIC-86b (R), C-664. Obv: DIVO TRAIANO Head radiate r. Rx: CONSECRATIO Altar. Scarce: 14 specimens in Dorchester hoard. Good Fine	150
335.	RESTORED COINAGE OF TRAJAN DECIUS FOR DIVUS ANTONINUS PIUS ; 249-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.79g. RIC-90, C-1189. Obv: DIVO PIO Head radiate r. Rx: CONSECRATIO Altar. Scarce. VF	200
336.	RESTORED COINAGE OF TRAJAN DECIUS FOR DIVUS SEVERUS ALEXANDER ; 249-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.56g. RIC-97, C-599. Obv: DIVO ALEXANDRO Head radiate r. Rx: CONSECRATIO Eagle standing r., head l. Scarce. Mint State	300
337.	HOSTILIAN AS CAESAR, REVERSE LEGEND MISSPELLED ; 250-251 AD, Rome, Antoninianus, 3.81g. Rev. legend var. of RIC-180 and C-30 (6 Fr.). Obv: C VALENS HOSTIL MES QVINTVS N C Bust radiate, draped r. Rx: PRINC[IP]I IVVENTVIS (sic, second T of IVVENTVTIS left out) Apollo seated l. holding branch	

	and resting elbow on lyre. A rare reverse type on Hostilian's antoniniani, represented by only two specimens in the Dorchester hoard, none in the Eauze hoard, though the same type is quite common on his sestertii. Our coin with the reverse legend error appears to be unpublished, though another specimen from the same reverse die, with the legend error unnoticed, was in Rauch MBS 11, 12 Sept. 2006, lot 1046. aEF 245	
338.	ALLECTUS ; 293-296 AD, London, Quinarius, 2.51g. RIC-55, Sear-3590. Rx: VIRTVS AVG Galley l. with mast, waves below, QL in exergue. VF or better; a bit rough	200
339.	MARINIANA, DIVA ; Rome, 254-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.62g. Eauze Hoard-1321 (200 spec.), Cunetio Hoard-643 (63 spec.), RIC-6 (R), C-16 (8 Fr.). Obv: DIVAE MARINIANIAE Bust draped, veiled r., on crescent. Rx: CONSECRATIO Peacock flying r. bearing empress to heaven. Toned; reverse a bit weakly struck. VF+	650
340.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Antioch, Antoninianus, 3.64g. Göbl-1616i (9 spec.), C-1320 var. (2 Fr.). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: VIRTVS AVGVSTI Hercules standing r., leaning on club set on rock, holding l. hand behind back, lionskin hanging down by club; star in exergue. Silvered Mint State	150
341.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.10g. Göbl-750b (194 spec.), Cunetio-1408 (182 spec.), RIC-181, C-165. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: DIANAE CONS A[V]G Gazelle standing l., XII (=officina 12) in exergue. Choice EF	100
342.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.26g. Cunetio Hoard-1404 (only 16 spec.), RIC-285, C-983 (2 Fr.). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: SOLI CO[N]S AVG Bull standing r., in exergue XI (=officina 11). A rare secondary type in Gallienus' animal series: the animal associated with the legend naming the sun god is usually a winged horse not a bull. VF	175
343.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.67g. Göbl-712b (147 spec.), Cunetio-1337 (233 spec.), RIC-283. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: SOLI CONS AVG Winged horse prancing r., in exergue A (=officina 1), placed to the r. of the groundline rather than beneath it as usual. Rare placement of the officina letter, a variety not specified in the standard references. EF	200
344.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.42g. Göbl-713b (123 spec.), Cunetio-1341 (198 spec.), RIC-230, C-586 (3 Fr.). Obv: [GA]LLIENVS A[V]G Head radiate r. Rx: LIBERO P CONS AVG Tigress walking l., B (=officina 2) in exergue. EF	100
345.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.35g. Göbl-718z (118 spec.), Cunetio-1348 (88 spec.), RIC-165, C-76. Obv: IMP GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: APOLLINI CONS A[V]G Griffin striding l., Δ (=officina 4) in exergue. aEF	200
346.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 1.72g. Göbl-732b (21 spec.), Cunetio Hoard-1377 (3 spec.), RIC-245, C-670 (3 Fr.). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: NEPTVNO CON[S] AVG Capricorn r., in exergue S (=officina 6). One of the rare secondary reverse types in Gallienus' animal series: a hippocamp not a capricorn is usually associated with the legend naming Neptune. EF	200
347.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.43g. Göbl-735b (194 spec.), Cunetio-1378 (143 spec.), RIC-163, C-72 (1 Fr.). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: APOLLINI CONS AVG Centaur walking r. about to shoot arrow from bow, Z (=officina 7) in exergue. Choice EF	150
348.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 3.20g. Göbl-743b (96 spec.), Cunetio-1392 (146 spec.), RIC-245, C-667 (3 Fr.). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: NEPTVNO CONS AVG Hippocamp swimming r., long fork-like fin emerging behind front legs, N (=officina 9) in exergue. EF	120
349.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.24g. Göbl-716b (239 spec.), Cunetio-1344 (240 spec.), officina letter var. of RIC-181 and C-165. Obv: GALLIE[NVS] AV[G] Head radiate r. Rx: DIANAE CONS AV[G] Antelope standing l., Γ (=officina 3) in exergue. Silvered. Mint State	110
350.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 2.31g. Göbl-729b (27 spec.), Cunetio-1367 (3 spec.), C-317 (3 Fr.), RIC-202. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: HERCVLI CONS A - VG Wild boar with tusks standing r., E (=officina 5) in exergue. One of the rarer types in Gallienus' animal series, wrongly rated "Common" in RIC. Granular surface. Fine	200
351.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Rome, c. 267-8 AD, Antoninianus, 4.07g. Göbl-736b (15 spec.), Cunetio-1382 (18 spec.), RIC-163, C-73 var. Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: APOLLINI CON - S AVG Centaur walking r. about to shoot arrow from bow, retrograde Z (=officina 7) in exergue. About eight times scarcer with the retrograde rather than normal officina letter, according to the Cunetio figures. EF	150
352.	GALLIENUS ; 253-268 AD, Antioch, Antoninianus, 3.77g. Göbl-1628c (16 spec.), RIC-628 var., C-46 (4 Fr.). Obv: GALLIENVS AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: AETERNITAS AVG She-wolf standing r. suckling Romulus and Remus, turning back her head to lick them, palm in exergue. EF	125
353.	VALERIAN II AS CAESAR ; 256-258 AD, Lugdunum, Antoninianus, 3.48g. Cunetio-738 (9 spec.), Göbl-907e (109 spec.), RIC-3, C-26. Obv: VALERIANVS CAES Bust radiate, draped r. Rx: IOVI CRESCENTI Infant Jupiter seated facing on goat Amalthea, who stands r.; Jupiter raises his r. hand, looks l., and holds one of the goat's horns with his l. hand. VF / EF	175
354.	VALERIAN II, DIVUS ; Cologne, Antoninianus, 3.07g. Cunetio Hoard-740 (34 spec.), RIC-9, C-5. Obv: DIVO VALERIANO CAES Bust radiate, draped r. Rx: CONSACRATIO Eagle flying r. carrying prince to heaven. VF	195
	LATE ROMAN SILVER AND SILVERED BRONZE	
355.	GALERIUS AS CAESAR ; 293-305 AD, Argenteus, Rome, c. 294 AD, 2.90g. RIC-29b (R2), RSC-219a. Obv: MAXIMIA - NVS CAES Head laureate r. Rx: VIRTVS	

- MILITVM Tetrarchs sacrificing over tripod altar before entrance of six-turreted enclosure. Mint State.....1000
356. **DIOCLETIAN**; 284-305 AD. Ticinum, c. 295 AD. Argentus, 2.99g. RIC-16a (R2), RSC-488d. Obv: DIOCLETI - ANVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: VICTORIA - SARMAT Four emperors sacrificing over tripod altar before gate of six-turreted enclosure Die break on emperor's cheek. Mint State.....1050

Unpublished

357. **GALERIUS AS AUGUSTUS**; 305-311 AD, Heraclea, 307 AD, Folis, 7.47g. RIC-33 (R), new officina B=2. Obv: IMP C GAL VAL MAXIMIANVS P F AVG Head laureate r. Rx: GENIO POPV - L - I ROMANI Genius of the Roman People standing l. pouring libation from patera and holding cornucopia, H.T.B in exergue. A rare issue, and our coin is apparently from a new officina: RIC-33 records only officina Γ, and no others are added in Lech Stepniewski's Not in RIC. EF.....250

Unpublished

358. **GALERIUS AS AUGUSTUS**; 305-311 AD, Heraclea, 307 AD, Folis, 6.83g. Not in RIC. apparently the first actual specimen to be recorded. Obv: IMP C GAL VAL MAXIMIANVS P F AVG Head laureate r. Rx: GENIO IMP - E - RATORIS Genius of the Emperor standing l. pouring libation from patera and holding cornucopia, H.T.Δ in exergue. The officina letter is not entirely clear: it could be A rather than Δ. It was apparently in the course of this H.T.A issue at Heraclea that the old type GENIO POPVLI ROMANI (RIC-33/34, carried on from previous issues) was replaced by the two new types GENIO CAESARIS and GENIO IMPERATORIS, which then continued to be struck together in the succeeding issues. Since the GENIO CAESARIS type is attested in the H.T.A issue (RIC-31), we would expect GENIO IMPERATORIS to appear there too, though Sutherland (RIC VI) could find no such coin, nor is one recorded in Lech Stepniewski's Not in RIC. Our coin confirms that expectation: both new types were indeed introduced in the course of Heraclea's H.T.A issue. According to Sutherland (RIC p. 534, note 4), Maurice's description of a coin like ours in this issue seems to have been a mere error, since Maurice cites Voetter, but Voetter records no such coin in his Gerin catalogue, p. 113, which was published a decade after Maurice's work. A piece of considerable numismatic interest, and apparently very rare; maybe the first published example, disregarding Maurice's mistake. EF.....375
359. **VETRANIO, EMPEROR'S NAME MISPELLED**; 350 AD, Thessalonica, Centenionalis, 4.84g. Obv. legend var. of RIC-126 (R), officina A=1, and of C-12 (Vienna, 25 Fr.). Obv: DN VERTAN - IO (sic) P F AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: VIRTVS - EXERCITVM Emperor standing l. holding labarum inscribed Chi Rho and resting l. hand on shield, TSA in exergue. A scarce reverse type for Vetrano, obviously his first type at Thessalonica, which was soon changed. A specimen with the T and R in Vetrano's name reversed (VERTANIO) was apparently first recorded in the Wiczay Catalogue of 1814, vol. II, no. 4223, pl. VII, 79. This erroneous legend was then correctly noted by Cohen in his first edition, Vetrano 10, but in his second edition, Vetrano 12, the Wiczay coin was wrongly reported to read VETRANIO, so not to be a variant at all! As a result, the VERTANIO error was overlooked in Kent's RIC VIII (1981), pp. 413-4. About ten years ago, however, our customer Stephen Knapp showed us two specimens of RIC-126 with this error, from different obverse and reverse dies, and pointed out that the same misspelling, overlooked by Kent, also occurs on the Thessalonican heavy miliarensis of Vetrano in Oxford, RIC-125, pl. 19, which has the same size and the same types and legends as the centenionalis RIC-126. Of the 17 specimens of Vetrano's VIRTVS EXERCITVS centenionalis that are currently in CoinArchives Pro, two show the error VERTANIO: CGB MBS 34, 2008, 1032 (the misspelling overlooked by the cataloguer) and Noble 95, 2010, 5732 (the error pointed out by the cataloguer). Reverse flatly struck. EF900
360. **VETRANIO**; 350 AD, Thessalonica, Centenionalis, 4.72g. RIC-132 (S), officina Δ=4; C-1 (25 Fr.). Obv: DN VETRAN - IO P F AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: CONCORDIA - MILITVM Emperor standing l., with star above his head, holding two standards topped by Chi Rho banners, .TSA. in exergue, A - B across field. Silvered Mint State.....500
361. **VETRANIO**; 350 AD, Siscia, Centenionalis, 5.25g. RIC-281 (S), officina A=1; C-1 (25 Fr.). Obv: DN VETRA - NIO P F AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front; A behind neck. Rx: CONCORDIA - MILITVM Emperor standing l., with star above his head, holding two standards topped by Chi Rho banners, .ASIS*] in exergue, A in l. field. Mint State.....1000
362. **VETRANIO**; 350 AD, Siscia, Centenionalis, 6.04g. RIC-283 (S), officina Γ=3; C-4 (25 Fr.). Obv: DN VETRA - NIO P F AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front; A behind neck. Rx: HOC SIG - NO VICTOR ERIS Emperor standing l. holding standard topped by Chi Rho banner and transverse spear, crowned by Victory standing behind him who also holds palm branch; .FSIS* in exergue, A in l. field. Mint State.....500
363. **MAGNENTIUS**; 350-353 AD, Trier, 351 AD, AE 2, 4.85g. Bastien-39 (16 spec.), RIC-307 (C2), officina P=1. Obv: DN MAGNEN - TIVS P F AVG Bare-headed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front, A behind portrait. Rx: VICTORIAE DD NN AVG ET CAE around, TRP in exergue, Two Victories facing one another, holding between them wreath inscribed VOT / V / MVLT / X, supported on short column. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 544. EF.....475
364. **MAGNENTIUS**; 350-353 AD, Lugdunum, 353 AD, AE 1, 7.96g. Obv: DN MAGNEN - TIVS [P F AVG] Bare-headed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: SALVS D[IV]D N[ON] AVG ET CAES around, LPLG in exergue, Large Chi-Rho, flanked by A and W. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 558. Mint State but some weakness in hair from striking.....450
365. **DECENTIUS AS CAESAR**; 350-353 AD, Amiens, c. Aug-Dec. 352 AD, AE 2, 4.34g. Obv: DN DECENTI[VS] NO[B] CAES Bare-headed, cuirassed bust r., seen from front, fold of cloak on front shoulder. Rx: VICTORIAE DD NN AVG ET CAE Two Victories standing face to face and holding wreath, within which VOT / V /

- MVLT / X; Chi-Rho above wreath, in exergue AMB preceded by star and followed by crescent. Ex Gemini XI, 12 January 2014, lot 564. Mint State.....600
366. **JULIAN II**; 360-363 AD, Antioch, AE 1, 9.19g. RIC-216 (C), officina A=1. Obv: DN FL CL IVLI - ANVS P F AVG Pearl-diademed. draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: SECVRITAS REI PVB Bull standing r., two stars above him, in exergue ANTA between two palms. Mint State.....500
367. **THEODOSIUS I**; 379-395 AD, Constantinople, 392-5 AD, Siliqua, 1.99g. RIC-87a (S), C-67 (5 Fr.). Obv: DN THEO - DOSIVS P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: VOT / X / MVLT / XX in wreath, CONS in exergue. Good VF.....300
368. **MAGNUS MAXIMUS**; 383-388 AD, Trier, Siliqua, 2.07g. RIC-84b, mintmark 1 (C); C-20 (10 Fr.). Obv: DN MAG MAX - IMVS P F AVG Pearl-diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: VIRTVS RO - MANORVM Roma seated front, head l., holding globe and scepter, TRPS in exergue. Somewhat weakly struck. VF.....300

GREEK BRONZE

369. **APULIA, TEATE**; c. 225-220 BC, Nummus, 29.34g. HN Italy-703, Weber-474. Obv: Head of Zeus Dodona r., wearing oak wreath. Rx: Eagle standing r. on thunderbolt; TIATI and N to r. Ex Gemini X, 13 January 2013, lot 3; with auction ticket. Ex Peus 400, 22 April 2010, lot 9. Some green encrustation over brown patination with some areas of flat striking. Good VF.....800
370. **BRUTTIUM, BRETTII**; 214-211 BC, AE 23, 7.74g. SNG ANS-46, HN Italy-1978, Sear-704. Obv: Laureate head of Zeus r., wheat ear behind. Rx: BPET - TIQN Eagle with spread wings standing l. on thunderbolt, cornucopia in l. field, crescent behind eagle's head. Ex Gemini II, 10 January 2005, lot 11; with auction ticket. Brown and green patination. Choice EF.....750
371. **SICILY, CAMARINA**; 413-405 BC, Trias, 3.54g. Calciati-33, SG-1063. Obv: Head of Athena l., in crested helmet ornamented with wing. Rx: KAMA Owl standing l., head facing, holding lizard in r. claw; three pellets in exergue. Full crest of Athena's helmet visible and great centering. Dark green patina, slightly damaged in field before Athena's face. aEF.....175
372. **SICILY, HIMERA**; c. 420-408 BC, Hemilitron, 3.55g. SNG ANS-186, Sear-1110. Obv: IM - E Head of nymph Himera l. with six pellets in front of face. Rx: Six pellets in two rows, within laurel wreath. With handwritten Berk ticket from c. 1990s. Glossy brown patination. Slightly off-center. Mint State.....300
373. **SICILY, SYRACUSE, HIERON II**; 274-216 BC, AE 27, 17.06g. BM-583. Obv: Young head of Hieron I. Rx: Horseman l. VF.....300

Very Rare Island-Peparethus

374. **ISLAND OFF THESSALY, PEPARETHUS**; 2nd century BC, Dichalkon, 4.46g. SNG Cop-362. Obv: Head of youthful Dionysos r., wearing ivy wreath. Rx: Π-Ε/Π-Α Kantharos containing vine tendrils with grape bunches hanging to l. and r. Rare; a comparable example in Triton XV brought \$1400 + commission. Coins from this island are extremely rare. VF.....600
375. **SYRIA, ANTIOCHUS VI**; 145-142 BC, Antioch, AE 20, 8.01g. Sear-7079 var. Obv: Diademed, radiate head of Antiochus VI r., no legend. Rx: ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ANTIOXOY ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΔΙΟΝΥΣΟΥ Amphora; no clear symbols or monograms; at top, anchor countermark within oval punch. Small hole in center of reverse. Good Fine.....250
376. **BAR KOCHBA REVOLT**; Year 2 = 133/4 CE, AE 25, 9.92g. Hendin-1408. Obv: Palm tree with two bunches of dates; across field, Hebrew inscription (Simon). Rx: Vine leaf on tendril; around, Hebrew inscription, (year two of the freedom of Israel). Some areas of flat striking. Good VF.....300
377. **BAR KOCHBA REVOLT**; Year 2 = 133/4 CE, AE 25, 9.41g. Hendin-1408. Obv: Palm tree with two bunches of dates; across field, Hebrew inscription (Simon). Rx: Vine leaf on tendril; around, Hebrew inscription, (year two of the freedom of Israel). Earthen patination. aVF / EF.....500
378. **PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY IV**; 221-205 BC, Alexandria, AE 40, 68.27g. Sv-1125, SNG Cop-199. Obv: Head of Zeus Ammon r. with diadem and floral ornament; dotted border. Rx: Eagle l. on thunderbolt; in front, cornucopia; between legs, ΔI; dotted border; ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ. Pleasant VF.....500
379. **PTOLEMAIC, PTOLEMY V**; 205-180 BC. Cyrene Mint, AE 20, 7.07g. SNG Cop-443, Sv-871. Obv: Diademed head of Ptolemy I r. with aegis; dotted border. Rx: Female head (Libya) r. with narrow cord round head and hair in long formal curls, double cornucopia under chin; ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ around, ΣΕ under neck. EF.....550
380. **ZEUGITANIA, CARTHAGE**; c. 241-221 BC, AE Dishekel or AE 25, 12.87g. Viola, CNP-46d. Obv: Head of Kore l. wearing wreath of wheat ears and leaf; earring with one pendant and necklace with pendants. Rx: Horse standing r., on exergual line; above, radiate sun-disk flanked by uraei. Punic letter 'ayin in the r. field. Green patination, natural chalky white overlay. aVF for issue.....275
381. **ZEUGITANIA, CARTHAGE**; c. 241-221 BC, AE 25, 10.99g. Viola, CNP-46d. Obv: Head of Kore l. wearing wreath of wheat ears and leaf; earring with one pendant and necklace with pendants. Rx: Horse standing r., on exergual line; above, radiate sun-disk flanked by uraei. Punic letter 'ayin in the r. field. aVF for issue.....350
382. **ZEUGITANIA, CARTHAGE**; c. 220-202 BC, Tridrachm, 17.60g. SNG Lewis-439, SNG Cop-340, De Luynes Coll.-3789. Obv: Head of Tanit l. Rx: Horse standing r., palm tree behind. Scarce issue, without typical countermarks on reverse. Pleasant glossy brown patination. Nice VF.....950
383. **BACTRIA, DEMETRIUS I**; 205-171 BC, AE Attic Trichalkon, c. 190-171 BC, 11.08g. Boppearachchi-Series 5 #14, Mitchiner-1086, Sear-7533 var. Obv: Head of elephant with bell hanging from neck. Rx: Cadeuceus; monogram to left. Red and green patination; some encrustation. Nearly EF.....500
384. **AXUMITE KINGDOM, ETHIOPIA, ANONYMOUS ISSUE**; c. 330-540 AD, AE 14, 0.99g. Munro-Hay-52 (JJ 399). Obv: Draped bust right within double solid line

- circles. Legend in blundered Greek but reading 'King'. Rx: Cross surrounded by circle with blundered legend. Fine.....225
- ROMAN REPUBLICAN BRONZE**
385. **ANONYMOUS**; 214-212 BC, Sextans, 11.87g. Cr-42/3. Obv: Head of Mercury r., two dots above. Rx: Prow r., wheat ear and ROMA above, two dots below. Scarce; four specimens in Paris. Ex HJB 123, October 2001, lot 622. Brown/green patination with some natural chalky overlay. EF / VF.....500
386. **ANONYMOUS; DOG**; c. 206-195 BC, As, 28.90g. Cr-122/3, Syd-251. Obv: Janus; I above. Rx: Prow r., dog above, [RO]M[A] below. Scarce; 7 specimens in Paris. Brown patination. Fine / aVF.....500
387. **C. MAIANIUS**; 153 BC, As, 23.23g. Cr-203/2, Syd-428. Obv: Head of Janus, I above. Rx: Prow r., C. MAIANI above, I before, ROMA below. Ex HJB 141, November 2004, lot 529. Some cracking on edges. Brown patination. Fine+350
- ROMAN IMPERIAL BRONZE**
388. **AUGUSTUS AND AGRIPPA**; Nemausus, c. 9/8-3 BC, Dupondius, 10.87g. RPC-524, RIC-158. Obv: IMP [DIVI F] Heads of Agrippa wearing rostral crown and Augustus wearing laurel wreath. Rx: CO[LI] NE[M] Crocodile chained to palm, wreath with long ties above. aVF / Good Fine.....385
389. **AUGUSTUS AND AGRIPPA**; Nemausus, c. 10-14 AD, Dupondius, 13.01g. RPC-525. Obv: IMP / DIVI F Heads of Agrippa wearing rostral crown and Augustus wearing laurel wreath; P - P to I. and r. of the heads. Rx: COL - NE[M] Crocodile chained to palm, wreath with long ties above. From an old collection in Ipswich. Light golden brown patination. VF / aVF.....600
- Striking Agrippa As**
390. **AGRIPPA**; Died 12 BC, Rome, Struck under Caligula, As, 11.05g. BM-161 (under Tiberius), Paris-77, RIC-58, C-3. Obv: M AGRIPPA L - F - COS - III Head I. wearing rostral crown. Rx: S - C Neptune standing l. holding dolphin and trident. A wonderful portrait of Agrippa. Good VF.....3000
391. **TIBERIUS**; 14-37 AD, Rome, 36-7 AD, As, 10.79g. BM-120, RIC-65 (R). Obv: TI CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVGST IMP VIII Head laureate l. Rx: PONTIF MAXIM TRIBVN POTEST XXXIIX Winged caduceus between large S - C. Good VF.. 1150
392. **CALIGULA**; 37-41 AD, 37-8 AD, Sestertius, 24.48g. BM-41, Paris-51, C-9 (15 Fr.), RIC-36 (R). Obv: C CAESAR AVG GERMANICVS P M TR POT around, PIETAS in exergue, Pietas seated l. resting elbow on statuette of Spes and holding patera. Rx: DIVO - AVG and S - C across field, Caligula sacrificing at altar before temple of Divus Augustus; he is accompanied by one attendant leading up sacrificial bull and another standing behind him holding patera; temple has six columns, numerous figures in pediment and on roof, and is garlanded. Soon after his accession, Caligula dedicated the temple of Divus Augustus in the Roman Forum that Tiberius had almost completed. Acquired from Pegasi Coins, with their ticket. Fine.....375
393. **NERO**; 54-68 AD. Rome, 65-66 AD. Sestertius, 26.58g. BM-173, Paris-369, C-262, RIC-273. Obv: NERO CLAVD CAESAR AVG GER P M TR P IMP P P Head laureate r. Rx: ROMA S - C Roma seated l. on cuirass and shields, placing r. foot on helmet and holding Victory and parazonium. EF / VF.....2500
- Rome Mint Vitellius Sestertius**
394. **VITELLIUS**; 69 AD, Rome, Sestertius, 26.05g. BMC-p. 377; Paris-92, pl. XXIV (same obv. die); C-67 (80Fr.); RIC-118. Obv: A VITELLIVS GERMANICVS IMP AVG P M TR P Bust laureate, draped r., seen from side. Rx: PAX - AVGVSTI S - C Pax standing l. holding branch and cornucopia. Ex Gemini XI, 12 Jan. 2014, lot 406; ex Richard P. Miller Collection, acquired from CNG 78, 14 May 2008, lot 1740 (J.S. Wagner Collection). A Rome-mint Vitellius sestertius in high grade is the "Holy Grail" for the collector of Roman portrait sestertii. Fine portrait in high relief. VF.....7500
395. **VESPASIAN**; 69-79 AD, Rome, 76 AD, As, 11.66g. C-4, Paris-755, RIC-890. Obv: IMP CAESAR VESP AVG COS VII Head laureate r. Rx: AE - QVITAS - AVGVST S - C Aequitas standing l. holding scales and long rod. EF.....550
396. **TITUS AS CAESAR**; 70-79 AD, Rome, 73 AD, Dupondius, 11.88g. RIC-615 (R), Paris-674, C-79, BMC-670 note. Obv: T CAESAR IMP COS II CENS Radiate head r. Rx: FELICITAS - PVBLICA S - C Felicitas standing l. holding short caduceus and cornucopia. Rare late short obverse legend in this issue, of the same form that was to be continued in the next issue dated COS III CENS. Acquired from Thomas D. Walker, with his ticket. VF / Fine.....550
- Choice Domitian Dupondius, Incredible Reverse**
397. **DOMITIAN**; 81-96 AD, Rome, 86 AD, Dupondius, 11.10g. RIC-477 (C), Paris-407, BMC-p. 382, C-14 (3 Fr.). Obv: IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM COS XII CENS PER P P Bust radiate r., aegis with Medusa head on front shoulder and behind neck. Rx: ANNONA - AVG around, S C in exergue, Annona seated r. with a small figure standing l. before her; she and the small figure stretch out part of her cloak between them, which is full of wheat ears; each of them has grasped a tuck of the cloak on its upper edge, in order to hold it more firmly; in background, stern of grain ship l. This interesting reverse type is usually under-described, for example by Cohen 9: "Abundantia seated right, resting her elbow on her chair and holding wheat ears; before her, a child standing; in the distance, a vessel". Mattingly, BMC 304, corrected the name of the divinity to Annona, and recognized that she and the little figure were each holding two ends of a piece of cloth between them, so that it could serve as a receptacle for wheat ears. Mattingly termed this receptacle an "open bag", but it is probably in fact the end of Annona's cloak; compare the parallel type of Septimius Severus, BMC pl. 57.3, where Annona holds out a fold of her drapery before her breast, from which wheat ears emerge. In superb condition, one of the finest Roman bronze coins we have ever handled. Wonderful olive patina. VF / Good EF6500
398. **DOMITIAN**; 81-96 AD, Rome, 85 AD, As, 11.17g. RIC-305 (C3), BM-316, Paris-339, C-417. Obv: IMP CAES DOMITIAN AVG GERM COS XI Bust laureate r., aegis with Medusa head on front shoulder and behind neck. Rx: SALVTI above, AVGVSTI in exergue, S - C in fields, altar enclosure with two doors, a bull's head with ring through nose as handle on each door. EF.....850
399. **NERVA**; 96-98 AD, Rome, 97 AD, Dupondius, 13.89g. BM-123, Paris-111, C-69, RIC-84. Obv: TR P COS III, head radiate r. Rx: FORTVNA - AVGVST S - C Fortuna standing l. holding rudder and cornucopia. Ex CNG 70, September 2005, lot 941. Excellent dark green patination. Excellent portrait. Close to VF.....450
- Incredible Captured German Arms Sestertius**
400. **MARCUS AURELIUS**; 161-180 AD, Rome, 177 AD, Sestertius, 24.88g. BM-1596, C-163 (12 Fr.), RIC-1184. Obv: M ANTONINVS AVG - GERM SARM TRP XXXI Head laureate r. Rx: DE GERMANIS in exergue, IMP VIII - COS [II] P P around, S - C across lower field, Pile of captured German arms: scaled cuirass, six oblong or oval shields; spears, trumpets, a vexillum, and a dragon-headed standard protruding from behind the shields. The reverse commemorates Marcus' victories over the Germans, which culminated in a triumph celebrated by Marcus and Commodus at Rome in December 176. This very desirable sestertius type of Marcus Aurelius often comes in worn condition. The coin we offer today is virtually flawless. For this late period in his reign the portrait of Marcus Aurelius is expressive and in higher relief than normal. The pile of arms on the reverse is fully detailed. The combination of a beautiful portrait with this historical reverse type in virtually perfect condition is breathtaking. Utterly and completely untouched.. Mint State.....16500
401. **COMMODUS**; 177-192 AD, Rome, 192 AD, Sestertius, 19.17g. BM-701, C-576, RIC-611. Obv: L AEL AVREL COMM AVG P FEL Head laureate r. Rx: P M TR P XVII IMP VIII [CO]S VII P P S C Securitas seated l. holding scepter and extending r. hand towards child before her representing the Human Race; star in r. field. The deity on reverse is traditionally described as Pietas but a recently discovered aureus which adds the descriptive legend SEC GEN HVM to the same type (Spink 65, 1988, 246, now coll. Ben Damsky) proves that she is actually Securitas and the child before her presumably the Human Race. Ex Gemini X, 13 January 2013, lot 577; with auction ticket. Struck on a broader flan than normal for Commodus, and with a rather sensitive portrait. Issued in the last year of his reign. EF / aEF.....2000
- Ex Santamaria 1953**
402. **CARACALLA AS CAESAR**; 195-198 AD, Rome, 196 AD, Sestertius, 25.52g. BM-613, C-595 (8 Fr.), RIC-401. Obv: M AVR ANTO - NINVS CAES Bust draped and cuirassed r., head bare. Rx: SPEL PERPETVAE S - C Spes advancing l. holding flower and raising skirt. Ex Gemini XI, 12 Jan. 2014, lot 468; with auction ticket. Ex Berk 162, 15 Jan. 2009, lot 227. Ex UBS 78, 9-10 Sept. 2008, lot 1762 (Gillard Coll.). Ex Santamaria, 13 March 1953, Signorelli, Part 3, lot 731. EF.....5000
403. **MAXIMINUS I THRAX**; 235-238 AD, Rome, 236-8 AD, Sestertius, 20.39g. BM-139, C-13, RIC-78. Obv: with GERM, third portrait. Rx: F[I]DES MILITVM S - C Fides standing l. holding two standards. Flan flaw at top and long crack at 4h on obverse. Excellent portrait and green patination. EF.....250
- Gordian II Africanus Sestertius**
404. **GORDIAN II AFRICANUS**; 238 AD, Rome, Sestertius, 19.87g. BM-31, RIC-8 (R), C-15 (70 Fr., citing BM). Obv: IMP M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: VIRTVS AVGG S - C Virtus standing l., placing r. hand on shield resting on ground and holding vertical spear in l. hand. Dark green patina. VF.....6000
- Exceptional Paulina**
405. **PAULINA, DIVA**; Rome, Sestertius, 18.59g. BM-129, RIC-3, C-3 (30 Fr.). Obv: DIVA PAVLINA Bust draped, veiled r. Rx: CONSECR - ATIO S - C Paulina seated l., waving goodbye and holding scepter, on back of peacock flying r., bearing her to heaven. Extremely beautiful portrait of Paulina struck on a glossy green planchet. There is a scrape on the body of the empress in the reverse type. EF.....1500
406. **POSTUMUS**; 260-268 AD, Double Sestertius, 22.64g. Bastien-87, RIC-143, C-177 (4 Fr.). Obv: IMP C M CASS LAT POSTVMVS P F AVG Radiate draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: L - AETITI - A around, AVG in exergue, Stylized galley l. in waves. These dies apparently not illustrated by Bastien. The legend breaks at the beginning and end of LAETITIA are unusual. Gold green patination. An unusually nice example. VF+ / EF.....4850
- Alexander the Great Contorniate**
407. **ALEXANDER THE GREAT**; Rome, Later 4th cent., perhaps c. 370 AD. Contorniate, 28.39g. Obv: ALEXANDER MA - [GNVS MACEDON] Head of Alexander r. wearing lionskin; palm branch engraved in r. field. Rx: A man wearing tunic and cloak leading a saddled and bridled horse r.; the man looks back at the horse. From Alföldi's obverse die Alexander V (pl. 5.2), reverse die 197 (e.g. pl. 69.11-12), a new die combination; also not in the addenda in Alföldi's second volume, nor in the addenda in P.F. Mittag's contorniate monograph, Alte Köpfe in neuen Händen (Bonn, 1999). The obverse die is scarce, being recorded by Alföldi in only eleven specimens, coupled with four other reverse dies; the same reverse die had previously been known combined with the two obverse dies Homer and Nero XII. The new die combination fits easily into the established die sequence; the obverses Alexander V and Nero XII, for example, were already known to share two other reverse dies, and reverse 170 now becomes a third reverse die that they share This is a beautiful contorniate with a glossy black patination. In ancient times, a piece was broken out of the edge of the coin, not affecting its beauty or any of its design. EF.....6500
- BYZANTINE COPPER**
408. **ANASTASIUS I**; 491-518 AD, Constantinople, Follis, 20.33g. Berk-9, Hahn-27, Sear-19. Obv: D N ANASTA - SIVS PP AVG Diademed, draped, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: Large M, stars to l. and r., cross above, E below (officina 5), CON in exergue. Fine / VF.....250
409. **JUSTINIAN I, 527-565 AD**; Cyzicus, Year 12= 538/39 AD, Follis, 21.01g. DO-164a. Obv: Bust facing, in helmet with plume, and diadem and cuirass. In right hand, globus cruciger. On left shoulder, shield with horseman device. In right field, cross. Rx: Large M between A/N/O and regnal year; cross above; officina letter A below. In exergue,

- KYZ. Nice oversize flan. VF.....400
410. **JUSTINIAN I**; Thessalonica, 6.64g. DO-98d., BMC-167, MIB-169d, Berk-164. Obv: Diademed, draped, cuirassed bust of Justinian r. Rx: Large I, surmounted by chi-rho. Fine / VF.....200
- Ex Hunt Collection**
411. **JUSTIN II**; Carthage, 565-578 AD, Decanumium, 4.88g. Sear-399, MIB-79, DO-195-6. Obv: D.N.IVSTINVS PP Helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding shield. Rx: Large I with two pellets above; to l., V/S; to r., TI/NI. Ex Sotheby's Hunt Collection, 21 June 1991, 185 (part of group lot). Featured on PenelopeCoins.com. aEF.....275
412. **HERACLIUS**; 610-641 AD. Constantinople, Folliis, 9.30g. Berk-747.5, Sear-810. Obv: Heraclius, bearded (on l.) and Heraclius Constantine (on r.) standing facing, each wearing crown and chlamys, first holding long cross, second holding globus cruciger. Rx: Large M between A/N/N/O and unclear date; above, cross; beneath, unclear officina letter; in exergue, CON. Green patination. Some areas of flatness from striking. EF.....250
413. **HERACLIUS**; 610-641 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 6.15g. Berk-610, DO-243, Sear-884. Obv: Oval counterstamp containing facing busts of long-bearded Heraclius and short-bearded Heraclius Constantine. Rx: Oval counterstamp containing monogram and letters SCs. Undertype: Folliis of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine from Constantinople. Green patination. Countermark. EF.....200
414. **HERACLIUS**; 610-641 AD. Catania, Year 12 = 621/2 AD, Decanumium, 3.00g. Berk-605, DO-253, Sear-885. Obv: D N ERA - CLI PP A Crowned, draped, cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger. Rx: Large I between A/N/N/O on l. and XII on r.; in exergue, CAT. aEF.....185
415. **HERACLIUS**; 527-565 AD. Ravenna, Year 29 = 555/6 AD, Decanumium, 4.23g. Berk-295, DO-349, Sear-326. Obv: [D N I]VSTINI - ANVS PP AVG Helmeted, cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger and shield. Rx: Large I between A/N/N/O and XX/VIII; all within wreath. VF / Fine.....200
416. **TIBERIUS II CONSTANTINE**; 578-582 AD. Ravenna, Decanumium, 2.87g. Berk-400, DO-66, Sear-472. Obv: Crowned, cuirassed bust of Tiberius II facing, holding globus cruciger; legend mostly off flan. Rx: Large I between two crosses; all within wreath. Good VF.....200
417. **HERACLIUS**; 610-641 AD, Decanumium or 12 Nummi, Alexandria, 613-18 AD, 4.84g. Berk-584, Hahn-200a, Sear-853. Obv: Facing busts of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine; each wears chlamys and crown with cross. Rx: Large IB with cross potent on two steps between; mint name in exergue. aVF.....80
418. **CONSTANS II**; 641-668 AD. Syracuse, c. 641-7 AD, Folliis, 5.16g. Berk-692, DO-176, Sear-1104. Obv: No legend, Bust of Constans II facing, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger. Rx: Large M, monogram above. Green patination. EF.....200
419. **CONSTANS II**; 641-668 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 5.03g. Berk-693, DO-177b, Sear-1106. Obv: No legend, Bust of Constans II facing, with short beard, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger. Rx: Large M, monogram above. Green patination. EF.....200
420. **CONSTANS II**; 641-668 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 3.17g. Berk-697, DO-181, Sear-1110. Obv: No legend, Constans, with long beard, and Constantine IV, beardless, standing facing, both wearing crowns; Constans holds long cross, Constantine holds globus cruciger. Rx: Large M with monogram above, SCL in exergue, flanked by standing figures of Heraclius and Tiberius. Green patination. Good VF.....200
421. **CONSTANS II**; 641-668 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 3.18g. Berk-697, DO-181, Sear-1110. Obv: No legend, Constans, with long beard, and Constantine IV, beardless, standing facing, both wearing crowns; Constans holds long cross, Constantine holds globus cruciger. Rx: Large M with monogram above, SCL in exergue, flanked by standing figures of Heraclius and Tiberius. Green patination. EF.....200
422. **CONSTANS II**; 641-668 AD. Syracuse, Indictional year 10 = 651/2 AD, Half Folliis, 4.47g. Berk-699, DO-183, Sear-1113. Obv: No legend, Bust of Constans II facing, with long beard, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger; to r., cross surmounted by palm. Rx: Large KW monogram, A/N to l., I to r. Green patination. EF.....225
423. **CONSTANTINE IV**; 654-685 AD. Syracuse, c. 674-681 AD, Folliis, 4.82g. Berk-740, DO-62, Sear-1209. Obv: Constantine IV standing facing, wearing helmet and cuirass and holding spear. Rx: Large M between facing standing figures of Heraclius on l. and Tiberius on r.; above M, monogram; in exergue, SCL. Green patination. VF.....250
424. **CONSTANTINE IV**; 654-685 AD. Syracuse, c. 674-681 AD, Folliis, 2.74g. Berk-740, DO-62, Sear-1209. Obv: Constantine IV standing facing, wearing helmet and cuirass and holding spear. Rx: Large M between facing standing figures of Heraclius on l. and Tiberius on r.; above M, monogram; in exergue, SCL. Green patination. Good VF.....250
425. **CONSTANTINE IV**; 654-685 AD. Syracuse, c. 674-681 AD, Folliis, 6.86g. Berk-741, DO-61, Sear-1208. Obv: Bust of Constantine IV 3/4 face to r., wearing helmet and cuirass and holding spear and shield. Rx: Large M between facing standing figures of Heraclius on l. and Tiberius on r.; above M, monogram; in exergue, SCL. Green patination. EF / aVF.....400
426. **JUSTINIAN II, FIRST REIGN**; 685-695 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 5.28g. Berk-772, DO-53, Sear-1294. Obv: Bust of Justinian II facing, wearing crown and jeweled robe, and holding akakia and globus cruciger. Rx: Large M, monogram above, SCL in exergue. Green patination. Good VF.....450
427. **LEO III**; 717-741 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 2.81g. Berk-852, DO-55, Sear-1531. Obv: Leo III, bearded, standing facing, wearing crown and chlamys; to l. A/E/O/N, to r. [A/E/C/II]. Rx: Constantine V, beardless, standing facing, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding akakia; to l. K/W/N/S, to r. A/E/C/II. Green patination. EF.....250

428. **CONSTANTINE V**; Syracuse, 741-775 AD, Folliis, 2.35g. Berk-864, Sear-1569, DO-19. Obv: Constantine V, bearded to left, and Leo IV, beardless to right, standing facing, each wearing crown, chlamys and holding akakia; cross between their heads, [K] to left, [A/E/O/N] to right. Rx: Leo III, bearded, standing facing, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding cross potent; [A/E/C/O/N] to left, [A/E/C/II] to right. Green patination. aEF.....130
429. **MICHAEL I**; 811-813 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 2.70g. Berk-883, DO-10, Sear-1625. Obv: M - [I/X/A] Facing bust of Michael, with short beard, wearing crown and loros, and holding cross potent. Rx: ΘE[OΦV] Facing bust of Theophylactus, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger. Green patination. Good VF.....225
430. **LEO V**; 813-820 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 3.77g. Berk-886, DO-19, Sear-1635. Obv: No legend, Facing busts of Leo, with short beard, and Constantine, beardless, each wearing crown and chlamys, cross between their heads. Rx: Large AK with [pellet] between, cross above. Dark green patina. VF.....200
431. **LEO V**; 813-820 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 3.11g. Berk-886, DO-19, Sear-1635. Obv: No legend, Facing busts of Leo, with short beard, and Constantine, beardless, each wearing crown and chlamys, [cross] between their heads. Rx: Large Λ[K] with pellet between, [cross] above. Green patination. VF.....140
432. **LEO V**; 813-820 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 3.93g. Berk-887, DO-17, Sear-1636. Obv: A - EO Facing bust of Leo, with short beard, wearing crown and loros, and holding cross potent; in r. field, star. Rx: [KON]ST Facing bust of Constantine, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger; [C] - I on either side of head. Green patination. Reverse weakly struck. EF / VF.....200
433. **LEO V**; 813-820 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 3.48g. Berk-887, DO-17, Sear-1636. Obv: [A] - E/O Facing bust of Leo, with short beard, wearing crown and loros, and holding cross potent; in r. field, star. Rx: [K] - ONST Facing bust of Constantine, beardless, wearing crown and chlamys, and holding globus cruciger; C - I on either side of head. Green patination. Some weak striking. Good VF.....200
434. **MICHAEL II**; 820-829 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 2.70g. Berk-891, DO-21, Sear-1652. Obv: [MIXA] - HL S ΘEOF Crowned, facing busts of Michael wearing chlamys and Theophilus wearing loros. Rx: Large M, cross above, Θ beneath. Green patination. Good VF.....200
435. **MICHAEL II**; 820-829 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 1.80g. Berk-891, DO-21, Sear-1652. Obv: MIXA - HL S ΘEOF Crowned, facing busts of Michael wearing chlamys and Theophilus wearing loros. Rx: Large M, cross above, Θ beneath. Green patination. Obverse weakly struck. aVF.....150
436. **THEOPHILUS**; 829-842 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 5.25g. Berk-896, DO-29, Sear-1680. Obv: ΘEO - [FILOS bAS] Facing bust with short beard, wearing crown and loros and holding cross potent. Rx: + mIXAHL S CONST Facing busts of Michael II and Constantine, with star between their heads. VF.....150
437. **THEOPHILUS**; 829-842 AD. Syracuse, 830/1-842 AD, Folliis, 2.01g. DO-29b, var. of Berk-896 and Sear-1680. Obv: ΘEO - FILOS bAJS Facing small bust with short beard, wearing domed crown and loros and holding cross potent. Rx: + mIXAHL S C[ONST] Facing busts of Michael II and Constantine, with star between their heads. Green patination. Good VF.....300
438. **MICHAEL III**; 842-867 AD. Syracuse, Folliis, 2.37g. Berk-901, DO-12, Sear-1697. Obv: MI - XAHL b Facing bust with short beard, wearing crown and chlamys and holding cross potent. Rx: Large M, cross above, Θ beneath. VF.....200
439. **JOHN III, NICEA**; Ducas-Vatatzes, 1246-1254. Billon Trachy, 1.63g. Hendy-PI 43, 314. Obv: Half length figure of Emperor I. with St. Demetrius beardless and nimble. Between them a cross within circle surmounting triangular decoration on long shaft. Emperor wears stemma, divitision, collar-piece and jeweled loros. Saint wears tunic, breast plate and sagion. Stunning portrait of John III. While these coins are beautifully designed they are always miserably struck. This coin shows a wonderful portrait of John III and not much else. EF for issue.....400
440. **ANDRONICUS II**; Sole Reign, 1282-1332 AD, AE Trachy, Thessalonica, 1.21g. Sear/Bendall-2373; Bendall, PCPC-246; LPC-212; Grierson-1438. Obv: St. Demetrius holding spear and shield. Rx: Andronicus holding scepter and globus cruciger; Manus Dei above and stars around. Obverse flat. aEF.....100
441. **JOHN VIII, 1423-1448 AD**; Constantinople, Stavraton (Half Hyperpyron), 6.98g. Sear-2564, Bendall-LPC, p. 172. Obv: Facing bust of Christ Pantocrator; no sigla. Rx: + IWANH C ΔECIOTH C O ΠAΔEOAOTOC (outer circle); + ΘV XAPITI AVTOKPATWP (inner circle); facing bust of John, crowned and nimble; sigla: pellet | pellet. Ex Andre C. Dimitriadis Collection. Ex William Herbert Hunt Collection (Sotheby's New York, 21 June 1991), lot 152. VF.....1500

ROMAN PROVINCIAL SILVER & BRONZE

442. **SOSIUS, GOVERNOR OF SYRIA**; Uncertain mint in Syria, c. 38 BC, AE 20, 7.56g. RPC-5410 (5 spec.), AMNG-228. Obv: Bare head r. Rx: Fiscus, sella quaestoria and hasta; below, Q. The portrait on the obverse of this coin is very much in dispute. There is a detailed discussion in RPC I, pp. 715-6. The portrait has been attributed to Brutus by Friedländer, Augustus by Gaebler and finally Caesar by M. Price. The portrait bears a striking resemblance to that of RPC-4082-3 which has been interpreted as Augustus and attributed to Cilicia. The obverse legend of that type is PRINCEPS FELIX. The coins of our type have normally been considered Macedonian due to the similarities between the reverse type and those of the Quaestor, Aesillas. However, RPC notes that the hasta, which symbolized imperium, the money chest, and quaestor's chair were objects that symbolized Roman authority and there is no other evidence linking the coin to Macedonia. Additionally, no specimens have been found in Macedonia, but two are reported to have come to light in Cilicia, which accordingly seems more likely to have been the approximate location of the mint. The most recent suggestion is that this is the portrait of the governor Sosius, who was stationed in Syria and commanded the fleet during the time of dispute between Mark Antony and Octavian. He later

- sundered to Octavian and was pardoned after Antony and Cleopatra fled Actium. This is the finest example of this coin we have ever handled. aEF.....1300
443. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, Year 26 Actian Era and Cos 12 = 5 BC, Tetradrachm, 15.15g. RPC-4151 (8 coins, 4 obv. dies), Prieur-50 (27 spec.), McAlee-180. Obv: ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΣΕ - ΒΑΣΤΟV from upper right, Laureate head of Augustus r.; fillet border. Rx: ΕΤΟΥΣ - SK - ΝΙΚΗΣ Tyche seated r. on rock, holding palm branch; below, river-god Orontes swimming r.; in field below palm branch, monogram VIIAIB (=COS XII) and ANT monogram. From the same dies as McAlee's illustrated specimen, p. 115, 180/2. EF.....2000
444. **AUGUSTUS**; 27 BC-14 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, Year 30 Actian Era = 2/1 BC, Tetradrachm, 15.15g. RPC-4156 (21 coins, 7 obv. dies), Prieur-55 (36 spec.), McAlee-185. Obv: ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΣΕ - ΒΑΣΤΟV from upper right, Laureate head of Augustus r.; fillet border. Rx: ΕΤΟΥΣ - Λ - ΝΙΚΗΣ Tyche seated r. on rock, holding palm branch; below, river-god Orontes swimming r.; in field below palm branch, monogram VIIA/IT (=COS XIII) and ANT monogram. EF.....2000
445. **OCTAVIAN**; (Gaul?), After 38 BC, Dupondius (ancient imitation), 13.56g. Cf. RPC-620 & 621, Cr-535/1 & 2, Sear Imperators-308 & 9 etc. Obv: Bare head of Octavian r., CAES[AR] before, [DIVI F] behind. Rx: DIVOS / IVLIVS in two lines in laurel wreath. This coin is a hybrid of Cr-535/1 (obverse) and Cr-535/2 (reverse). With a handwritten Berk ticket from c. the 1990s. Fine.....350

Caligula and Agrippina

446. **CALIGULA AND AGRIPPINA**; 37-41 AD. Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, Year 3 = 38/9 AD, Tetradrachm, 14.91g. RPC-4168 (5 spec.), Prieur-67 (13 spec.), McAlee-226 ("Rare"). Obv: ΓΑΙΟΥ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ - ΣΕΒΑ - ΓΕΡΜΑ] Laureate head of Caligula r. Rx: ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΝ[ΗΣ ΑΝΤΙΟ] ΜΗΤΡΟ. around, date ET below Γ in r. field, Draped bust of Agrippina r., hair in long braid behind, three long curls hanging down neck, pellet behind bust. Fine+ / VF.....2950
447. **OTHO**; 69 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, Tetradrachm, 11.02g. Prieur-102 (43 spec.), RPC-4200 (26 coins, 7 obv. dies), McAlee-315. Obv: [ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΩΡ Μ]ΑΡΚΟΣ ΟΘΩΝ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ[Ε] CEBACTOC] Head laureate r. Rx: [ΕΤΟΥΣ Α] Eagle, wings raised, standing l. on two laurel branches, wreath in beak, palm branch in l. field. Bold Fine / VF.....300
448. **OTHO**; 69 AD, Alexandria, Egypt, Tetradrachm, 12.41g. RPC-5360 (16 spec.), Cologne-246, Dattari-325, Emmett-183. Obv: ΑΥ[ΤΟΚ] ΜΑΡΚ ΟΘ[ΩΝΟΣ ΚΑΙΣ] ΣΕΒ Head laureate r., date LA before neck. Rx: ΕΙΡΗ - ΝΗ Wreathed, draped, veiled bust of Pax r., caduceus behind shoulder. Acquired from Joel Malter, with their ticket. Good Fine.....350
449. **DOMITIAN AND DOMITIA**; Aegeae, Cilicia, Year 135 = 88/9 AD, AE 30, 16.13g. Cf. RPC-1771 (one spec., private collection, legends different than on our coin). Obv: ΔΟΜΙΤΙΑΝΟC ΚΑ... Laureate head of Domitian l. Rx: Draped bust of Domitia r., legend mostly illegible. Fine.....175
450. **DOMITIAN**; 81-96 AD, Philippopolis, Thrace, 88-9 AD, AE 30-32, 16.57g. Apparently unpublished denomination and reverse type. Obv: IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM - COS XIII CENS PER PP Head laureate r. Rx: ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟ - ΠΟΛΕΙΤΩΝ Hercules stepping r., wrestling with the Nemean lion. Unusual bilingual issue, the obverse legend copied from Rome-mint bronze coins. This is a new denomination (the second largest) and a new reverse type for the issue, which had previously been known with just these four types (RPC 351-4): c. 32mm, 22.5g, portrait laureate, rev. City goddess standing l., river god reclining r. at her feet c. 27mm, 11.2g, portrait radiate, rev. Naked figure leaning on column c. 23mm, 6.6g, portrait radiate, rev. Ares standing l. c. 17mm, 3.0g, portrait laureate, rev. Artemis advancing r. Fine.....300
451. **DOMITIAN**; 81-96 AD, Caesarea Maritima, Judaea, c. 92-3 AD, AE 18-20, 6.03g. RPC-2309 (11 spec.); Hendin-1460; Sofaer pl. 225, 22. Obv: IMP DOMIT - AVG GERM Head laureate r. Rx: VICTOR - AVG Trophy. Ex Superior, 15-18 November 1976, Mount Vernon Collection, lot 1959. Ex Superior, 17-22 June 1974, Dr. Charles Ruby Coll., Part 2, lot 503. With the original Superior envelopes from these two sales. VG / Good Fine.....300
452. **TRAJAN**; 98-117 AD, Alexandria, Egypt, Year 16=112/3 AD, Dichalkon, 1.74g. Emmett-720, Dattari/Savio-pl. 55, 1114. Obv: Laureate head of Trajan r., no legend. Rx: Sistrum; date L - IS across field. Rare small coin, apparently unpublished from Year 16. Emmett-720 lists this type from eight other years, seven of them R5 and the eighth R3. Somewhat encrusted; a candidate for careful hand cleaning. EF.....300
453. **ANTONINUS PIUS**; 138-161 AD, Alexandria, Egypt, Year 4 = 140/1 AD, Drachm, 24.10g. Cologne-1336 (same rev. die); Dattari/Savio-pl. 119, 2458 bis; Oxford-1681a. Obv: ΑΥΤ Κ Τ ΑΙΑ ΑΔΡ - ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝΟC ΕΥC - ΕΒ Head laureate r. Rx: Λ ΤΕ - Τ - ΑΡΤΟΥ Ares standing l. holding spear and parazonium. Lovely sharpness and beautiful in hand; Alexandrian drachms very rarely come so fine. About EF.....1500
454. **CARACALLA**; 198-217 AD, Nicopolis ad Istrum, Moesia Inferior, 198 AD, AE 27, 10.12g. Varbanov-2911 (quoting and illustrating a specimen from Wildwinds, from the same dies as ours). Obv: ΑΥΚΚ.Μ.ΑΥΡ - ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝΟC Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: ΕΥΤΥ / ΧΩC ΤΟΙC / ΚΥΠΙΟΙC / ΝΙΚΟΠΟΛΙ / ΠΙΟC I in five lines within laurel wreath. A very interesting reverse type, with Greek legend "Good Luck to our Masters!" followed by the mint name, probably issued to celebrate Septimius' capture of Ctesiphon and his promotion of Caracalla to the rank of co-Augustus and Geta to that of Caesar in January 198 (see AMNG I.i, p. 346). Very rare: AMNG 1344 and 1625 knew this reverse type in just two specimens for Septimius Severus and two specimens for Caracalla and Geta together, but not for Caracalla alone as on our coin. Acquired from Nemesius. Glossy green patination. Fine / VF.....375
455. **TRANQUILLINA**; Caesarea, Cappadocia, Year 4=241 AD, Drachm, 3.89g. Sydenham/Malloy-617aa, citing Leu 18, 1977, lot 373 (same dies). Obv: CABINIA TRANKVΛΛΙΝΑ AV Bust draped r., wearing stephane, the hair falling onto neck arranged in two horizontal ridges. Rx: ΜΗΤΡΟ ΚΑΙCΑ Β ΝΕ around, ΕΤΔ in exergue, Mt. Argaeus, without pellet in field. The obverse die in a late state, with numerous die

- breaks in the legend, especially on the letters of CABINI and AV. Rare silver drachm of Tranquillina at Caesarea, unknown until 1978 when Sydenham/Malloy-617aa reported two specimens, in Leu 18, 5 May 1977, lot 373 and the Burbules Collection. Recently several dozen further specimens of this rare drachm have appeared on the market, mostly of Year 4 like the two Sydenham/Malloy pieces, but also several of Year 5. The Year 4 pieces all seem to come from only three obverse dies, one without stephane and with a nest of braids on the neck, and two with stephane and without the nest of braids. The Year 4 reverse dies vary in the abbreviation of the legend, ΚΑΙC Β Ν or ΚΑΙCΑ Β ΝΕ, and in the placement of a pellet in the field left of Mt. Argaeus on some dies. The three Year 5 drachms come from a fourth obverse die, and from two reverse dies, both with a pellet in upper right rather than upper left field. EF.....1500
456. **PHILIP I**; 244-249 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, 247 AD, Tetradrachm, 14.10g. McAlee-731a (V. Rare), Prieur-363 (2 spec.). Obv: ΑΥΤΟΚ Κ Μ ΙΟΥΛΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟC CEB Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed l., seen from front, cuirass flaps visible on both shoulders. Rx: ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥCΙΑC ΠΙΑ ΤΟ Γ around, ANTIOXIA / S C in exergue, Eagle with spread wings standing l., wreath in beak. A very rare left-facing bust variety. From the same obverse die as the illustrated specimens McAlee-731a and Prieur-363. EF.....280
457. **PHILIP I**; 244-249 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, 247 AD, Tetradrachm, 11.99g. McAlee-923, Prieur-373 (26 spec.). Obv: ΑΥΤΟΚ Κ Μ ΙΟΥΛΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟC CEB Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed r. Rx: ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥCΙΑC ΠΙΑ ΤΟ Γ around, ANTIOXIA / S C in exergue, Eagle with spread wings standing l., wreath in beak. EF.....400
458. **PHILIP I**; 244-249 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, 244 AD, Tetradrachm, 13.26g. McAlee-889 (V. Rare), Prieur-320 (3 spec.). Obv: ΑΥΤΟΚ Κ Μ ΙΟΥΛ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟC CEB Bust radiate, draped, cuirassed l., seen from back. Rx: ΔΗΜΑΡΧ - ΕΞΟΥCΙΑC around, S C in exergue, Eagle with spread wings standing r. on palm branch, head l., wreath in beak. Very rare left facing bust type. From the same obverse die as the illustrated specimens McAlee-889 and Prieur-320. Mint State 450
459. **PHILIP II AS CAESAR**; 245-247 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, 244 AD, Tetradrachm, 12.34g. McAlee-1008, Prieur-333 (30 spec.). Obv: ΜΑΡ ΙΟΥΛΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟC ΚΕCΑΡ Bare-headed, draped, cuirassed bust r. Rx: ΔΗΜΑΡΧ - ΕΞΟΥCΙΑC around, S C in exergue, Eagle with spread wings standing r. on palm branch, head l., holding wreath in beak. Mint State.....275
460. **PHILIP II AS CAESAR**; 245-247 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, 245 AD, Tetradrachm, 12.95g. McAlee-1009, Prieur-332 (24 spec.). Obv: ΜΑΡ ΙΟΥΛΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟC ΚΕCΑΡ Bare-headed, draped bust r. Rx: ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥCΙΑC ΠΙΑ ΤΟ Α around, S C in exergue, Eagle with spread wings standing l. on palm branch, holding wreath in beak. EF.....195
461. **TRAJAN DECIUS**; 249-251 AD, Philomelium, Phrygia, AE 24, 7.75g. BM-42, SNG Munich-437 (same dies). Obv: ΑΥΤ Κ Γ ΜΕC Κ ΤΡΑΙ ΔΕΚΙΟ CΕ Radiate, draped, cuirassed bust r. Rx: ΦΙΛΟΜΗΛΕΩΝ ΕΠ ΕΥΤΥΧΟVC River-god Gallos reclining l., holding cornucopia before him, l. hand on urn from which water flows, reed under l. arm; B in l. field. VF / EF.....550
462. **HERENNIUS ETRUSCUS AS CAESAR**; 250-251 AD, Antiochia ad Orontem, Seleucus and Pieria, Tetradrachm, 12.58g. McAlee-1153c (Scarce), Prieur-632 (18 spec.). Obv: ΕΡΕΝΝ ΕΤΡΟVC ΜΕ ΚΥ ΔΕΚΙΟC ΚΕCΑΡ Bare-headed, draped bust r., three pellets (officina 3) below bust. Rx: ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥCΙΑC around, S C in exergue, Eagle with spread wings standing l. on palm branch, holding wreath in beak. VF.....275
463. **VALERIAN I AND GALLIENUS**; 253-260 AD, Mytilene, Lesbos, AE 43, Medallion, 40.31g. Unpublished, but cf. Franke/Nollé-1343/4 (the same rev. die, coupled with an obv. type of Zeus). Obv: ΑΥΤ Κ Π ΙΛΙΚ ΒΑΛΕΡΙΑΝΟC ΑΥΤ Κ Π ΙΛΙΚ ΓΑΛΛΙΗΝΟC Vis-à-vis busts of Valerian on the l. and Gallienus on the r., each laureate, draped, and cuirassed. Rx: ΕΙΠΙ CΤΡ - ΒΑΑ ΑΡΙCΤ - Ο - ΜΑ - ΧΟVC around, ΟΜΟ - ΝΟΙ / Α in two lines in upper field, ΜΥΤΙΛΗΝΑΙΩΝ / ΠΕΡΓΑΜΗΝ / ΕΦΕCΙ in three lines in exergue, City-goddess of Mytilene seated facing, wearing mural crown and holding patera and herm of Dionysos, between (a) standing figure of Asklepios of Pergamum on l., holding rod with serpent entwined around it, and (b) archaic cult-image of Artemis of Ephesus on r. A rare reverse type showing Mytilene in alliance with both Pergamum and Ephesus, apparently unique and unpublished in combination with this obverse type of Valerian I and Gallienus together. Our reverse type was hitherto known on only two medallions, in Paris and in the von Aulock collection, both from the same reverse die as our medallion, but coupled with a "quasi-autonomous" obverse type of Zeus Boulaios (Franke-Nollé-1343/4). Under the same strategos Val. Aristomachos, Mytilene indeed struck smaller bronze coins for both Valerian I alone and Gallienus alone, but our medallion die combining the portraits and titles of both emperors was hitherto unknown. Cohen reports provincial medallions of Valerian I and Gallienus together only from two mints, Temenothyrae in Phrygia (e.g. SNG Aulock-4012) and Tripolis in Lydia (Mionnet III, p. 396. no. 541); the reported pieces have different legends and bust types than our medallion, so are from different obverse dies. The alliances commemorated on provincial coins were normally only between two cities; types like ours that commemorated an alliance among three cities were unusual. See H. von Aulock, Die Homonoia-Münzen von Mytilene, JNG XIX, 1969, pp. 83-88, pl. 7-8. VF / Choice EF.....9000

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464. **ALCHON HUNS IN GANDHARA NARENDRA**; 540-580 AD, Drachm (Bracteate), 3.80g. Mitchiner-1444, Göbl-150. Obv: Bust of Khan Narendra holding pot of flowers. Rx: Same type incuse. EF.....100

A Collection of Constantinian Bronze Coins

Lots 465-542: T. R. McIntosh is a retired high school teacher in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, who has collected coins and books for many decades, and who has also always been active in community and educational matters, with great vigor and generosity. In 1982, for example, he undertook a protest fast that lasted 57 days and brought him to death's door, before compelling the Harrisburg School Board to revoke their proposed lay-off of about 100 teachers, one seventh of the staff. In recent years he has played a large role in the foundation of the Harrisburg University of Science and Technology, and particularly in the establishment of the library there, which will be called the McIntosh Library in his honor. To quote his own autobiographical notes, "he has donated many thousands of books (appraised at \$225,000) and over \$150,000 in cash so far." In 2014, in recognition of his many services and benefactions, Harrisburg University awarded him an honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters. By the terms of his will a large part of his remaining estate, including the money he receives from selling this part of his coin collection, will also be donated to Harrisburg University. We learned while composing this catalogue that T.R. McIntosh in fact died in January 2015.

McIntosh's own collection tickets accompany each of the coins offered below, usually taken over from the dealer who sold him the coin, and always recording the source and date of that purchase. For illustrations of every coin in the collection, please consult the digital version of the catalogue on our website; only a selection of the better coins are illustrated in this printed catalogue.

465. **CONSTANTINE I AS CAESAR**; 306-307 AD, Lugdunum, Folliis, 9.67g. RIC-194b (S), Bastien-385 (16 spec.). Obv: FL VAL CONSTANTINVS NOB C Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: GENIO POP - VLI ROMANI Genius standing l. holding patera and cornucopia, altar at feet, PLG in exergue, star in r. field. Ex Wayne Phillips List 279, June 2002, no. 327. Much silvering. EF / VF250
466. **CONSTANTINE I AS CAESAR**; 306-307 AD, Lugdunum, 307 AD, Folliis, 7.67g. RIC-213b (S), Bastien-402 (16 spec.). Obv: FL VAL CONSTANTINVS N C Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front, with fold of cloak on front shoulder. Rx: GENIO POP - VLI ROMANI Genius standing l. holding patera and cornucopia, altar at feet, PLG in exergue, N in r. field. Ex Berk 103, 28 July 1998, lot 527; with handwritten Berk ticket. Dark brown patination. VF225
467. **CONSTANTINE I AS CAESAR**; 306-307 AD, Heraclea, Folliis, 9.86g. RIC-31 (S), officina B=2. Obv: FL VAL CONSTANTINVS NOB CAES Head laureate r.; portrait has moustache. Rx: GENIO POPV - L - I ROMANI Genius standing l., pouring liquid from patera and holding cornucopia, HTB in exergue. Acquired from Clark's, November 1996; with earlier CNG ticket. Dark brown patina, a few small pits on obverse. aEF225
468. **CONSTANTINE I AS CAESAR**; 306-307 AD, Rome, 307 AD, Reduced Folliis, 6.51g. RIC-196 (C), officina Q=4. Obv: CONSTANTINVS NOB CAES Head laureate r., bearded. Rx: CONSERVATO - RES VRB SVAE Roma seated l. holding globe and scepter in hexastyle temple, pediment empty, R*Q in exergue. Ex Wayne Phillips List 314, May 2005, no. 199. Dark brown, traces of silvering. gVF250
469. **CONSTANTINE I AS CAESAR**; 306-307 AD, Carthage, 307 AD, Folliis, 6.10g. RIC-61, C-73 (6 Fr.). Obv: CONSTANTINVS NOB CAES Head laureate r. Rx: CONSERVATO - RES KART SVAE Carthage holding fruits in both hands standing l. in six-columned temple, PKΔ in exergue. Acquired from Colosseum Coin Exchange. Fine65
470. **CONSTANTINE I AS FIL AVGG**; 307-337 AD, Thessalonica, 309-10 AD, Folliis, 6.01g. RIC-32b (S), officina Δ=4. Obv: CONSTANTINVS.FIL AVGG Head laureate r., portrait with beard. Rx: GENIO CA - ESARIS Genius standing l. pouring liquid from patera and holding cornucopia, .SM.TS. in exergue, star in l. field, Δ in r. field. Rare rank of "Son of the Augusti", intended to appease Constantine and Maximinus II after they were passed over and Licinius I made Augustus at the Congress of Carnuntum in 308 AD. Ex Wayne Phillips List 273, December 2001, no. 328. Minor deposits and pitting, otherwise EF175
471. **CONSTANTINE I AS FIL AVGG**; 307-337 AD, Thessalonica, 309-10 AD, Folliis, 6.00g. RIC-32b (S), officina Δ=4. Obv: CONSTANTINVS.FIL AVGG Head laureate r., portrait with beard. Rx: GENIO CA - ESARIS Genius standing l. pouring liquid from patera and holding cornucopia, .SM.TS. in exergue, star in l. field, Δ in r. field. Ex Fred Shore, List 128, June 2007, no. 58. Scattered roughness, otherwise. aEF. 200
472. **CONSTANTINE I AS FIL AVGG**; 307-337 AD, Nicomedia, 308-10 AD, Folliis, 6.05g. RIC-56 (C), officina Γ=3. Obv: FL VAL CONSTANTINVS FIL AVG Laureate head r. Rx: GENIO CA - ESARIS CMH Genius standing l., pouring liquid from patera and holding cornucopia, SMNΓ in exergue. Ex Palladium 9, July 1995, lot 443. Dark brown, roughness on portrait. aVF95
473. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, c. 307-9 AD, Folliis, 7.60g. RIC-104 corr. (S). Obv: IMP C CONSTANTINVS P AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: GENIO - POP ROM Genius of the Roman People standing l., wearing modius on head and drapery around loins, holding patera and cornucopia, PLN in exergue. Acquired from Tom Cederlind, August 2003. Dark brown. gEF200
474. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Heraclea, c. 311 AD, Reduced Folliis, 6.07g. RIC-60b (S), officina Γ=3 (cited from ANS); C-193 (Rollin, 4 Fr.). Obv: IMP C FL VAL CONSTANTINO P F INV AVG Head laureate r. Rx: GENIO IMP - E - RATORIS Genius standing l. pouring liquid from patera and holding cornucopia, HTT in exergue, star in l. field, crescent in r. field. Rare type with INV(ictus) in obverse legend. Ex Clark's List 106, October 1998, no. 340. Glossy dark brown patina. VF65
475. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Reduced Folliis, Lugdunum, 308-9 AD, 7.61g.

RIC-299 (S), Bastien-516 (30 spec.). Obv: IMP C CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust laureate, draped r. Rx: PRINCIPI - IV - VENTVTIS Constantine standing l. holding two standards topped by banners, PLC in exergue, C - I in l. field, H/S in r. field. EF250

476. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 311-2 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.03g. RIC-222 (C). Obv: CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: PRINCIPI IV - VENTVTIS Emperor standing l. holding globe and spear, PLN in exergue, star in r. field. Several pits on portrait. Fine40
477. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 310 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.89g. RIC-121a (c2). Obv: IMP CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: SOLI INVIC - TO COMITI Sol standing l., raising r. hand and holding globe in l., PLN in exergue, T - F across field. Acquired in 1996 or earlier. Worn reverse die, light roughness. VF / F50
478. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 311-2 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.81g. RIC-158 (R). Obv: CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed l., seen from front. Rx: COMITI - AVGG NN Sol standing l. holding globe and whip, PLN in exergue, star in r. field. Ex Cederlind 146, March 2008, lot 294. Rare with this obverse type: only one specimen cited by Huvelin, Emissions londoniennes, Num. Zeitschrift 1990, p. 35, 33. Flat striking on Sol, otherwise aEF175
479. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 311-2 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.92g. Huvelin-50a (1 spec., Sarzeau Hoard); cf. RIC-177 (helmet laureate, S). Obv: CONSTANTINVS PAV - G Helmeted, cuirassed bust l. holding spear over r. shoulder and shield on l. arm. Rx: COMITI - AVGG NN Sol standing l. holding globe and whip, PLN in exergue, star in r. field. Acquired from Herakles Numismatics, August 2003; with ticket handwritten by Herb Kreindler. A common reverse type, but rare combined with this exact obverse type. EF / VF250

Victory on Constantine's Shield

480. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 311-2 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.17g. RIC-191 (S), note 1; Huvelin-66a (without image). Obv: C - ONSTA - NTINVS AG Laureate, draped, cuirassed bust l. holding spear pointed forwards with r. hand and shield on l. arm decorated with figure of Victory flying l. holding wreath and palm. Rx: COMITI - AVGG NN Sol standing l. holding globe and whip, PLN in exergue, star in r. field. Ex Cederlind 169, 31 May 2013, lot 333. Apparently only the second recorded specimen of this interesting variant with Victory on Constantine's shield. The other specimen is in Oxford, described in a note to RIC 191 and by Huvelin, Num. Zeitschrift 1990, no. 66a (without photo). Dark brown patina. EF1500
481. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 313-4 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.61g. RIC-18 (r3). Obv: CONSTANTINVS AVG Cuirassed bust l. wearing laureate helmet, holding spear over r. shoulder and shield on l. arm. Rx: SOLI INVIC - [T]O COMITI Sol standing l. raising r. hand and holding globe in l., PLN in exergue, S - F across field. Ex Robinson 90, 20 February 2014, lot 344. A scarce bust variety. Some silvering. Pitting removes back of Sol's head and the adjoining T of the reverse legend. Otherwise. gVF60
482. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 317 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.35g. RIC-112 (R5). Obv: CONSTANTINVS P AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: SOLI INVIC - TO COMITI Sol standing left raising r. hand and holding globe in l., PLN in exergue, S - P across field. Rare with this obverse legend, only a single specimen in Vienna recorded in RIC. Dark brown patina. EF185
483. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Trier, 316 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.06g. RIC-102, officinal B=2 (c2). Obv: IMP CONSTANTINVS AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: SOLI IN - VI - CTO COMITI Sol standing r., head l., cloak hanging behind visible on both l. and r., raising r. hand and holding globe in l., BTR in exergue, T - F across field. RIC records only the reverse legend division INVIC - TO, not IN - VI - CTO as here. Acquired from Cooper, September 1996. Dark patina with reddish highlighting. gF35
484. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Cyzicus, 311 AD, Reduced Folliis, 5.28g. RIC-73c (S), new officina A=1; C-597 (6 Fr.). Obv: IMP C FL VAL CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Head laureate r. Rx: SOLI IN - VICTO Sol standing l. in long robe, raising r. hand and holding head of Serapis in l., SMN in exergue, A in l. field. Acquired from Ephesus Numismatics, March 2014. Interesting and rare reverse type, attested in RIC from Nicomedia only for officinae B and T, however Lech Stepniewski's Not in RIC records three specimens with officina A as on our coin. Some pitting and deposits. Fine35
485. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Trier, 310-313 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.05g. RIC-890 (C2). Obv: IMP CONSTANTINVS AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: SOLI INVICTO COMITI Bust of Sol r., radiate and draped. Ex Berk 99, 25 November 1997, lot 587. Reverse from worn die and with some pitting. aEF / aVF110
486. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Trier, 310-313 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.42g. RIC-893 (C2). Obv: CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: SOLI INVICTO COMITI Bust of Sol r., radiate and draped. Ex McDaniels, List 63, December 1997, no. 97. Dark brown patina. Minor die break across top of reverse. gVF / EF175
487. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Trier, 310-313 AD, Reduced Folliis, 4.96g. RIC-884 (C2). Obv: CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust laureate, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: MARTI CONSERVATORI Helmeted, cuirassed bust of Mars r., seen from front. Coppery color, without patina. gF75
488. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Rome, 312-3 AD, Reduced Half Folliis, 2.09g. RIC-357 (R), officina T=3; C-378 (8 Fr.). Obv: FL VAL CONSTANTINVS AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: PACI P - ERPET Pax standing l. holding branch and standard, RT in exergue, XII in l. field. Ex Clark's List 83, March 1992, no. 185. Rare fractional issue, particularly rare with this bust type, which RIC-357 cites only from Voetter's Gerin catalogue, with note "Confirmation required".

- Black patina. VF.....175
489. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 312-3 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.55g. RIC-247 corr. (R2), Huvelin-163a (1 spec., Sarzeau Hoard), bust var. of C-143 (10 Fr.). Obv: CONSTANTINVS P AV - G Cuirassad bust l. wearing laureate helmet and holding spear over r. shoulder and shield on l. arm. Rx: FELIC - IT - AS AVGG NN Helmeted Roma seated l. holding branch and globe, PLN in exergue, star in l. field. Acquired from Whidden, May 2007. A very rare reverse type: Huvelin knew only two specimens with military bust left like ours, plus five specimens with normal bust right, three with NN in the reverse legend like ours and two without. Our coin seems to be from the same reverse die as a piece in BM, Huvelin pl. 13, 163. F / aF.....150
490. **CONSTANTINE THE GREAT**; 307-337 AD, Folllis, Siscia, 315-6 AD, 3.91g. RIC VII-15, officina E=5 (r2). Obv: IMP CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Head laureate r. Rx: IOVI CON - SERVATORI Jupiter standing l. holding Victory on globe and scepter, at his feet eagle standing l., head r., wreath in beak; .SIS. in exergue, E in field r. Ex Berk 170, 29 July 2010, lot 354. Dark brown patina. Mint State.....145
491. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Thessalonica, c. 311 AD, Reduced Folllis, 5.98g. RIC-47b (C), officina A=1. Obv: CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bearded, laureate head r. Rx: IOVI CONSERVA - TORI AVGG Jupiter standing l. holding thunderbolt and scepter, before him eagle with wreath in beak, .SM.TS. in exergue, A in r. field. Ex Palladium 9, July 1995, lot 444. gVF.....65
492. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Thessalonica, c. 312 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.91g. RIC-50b (C), officina A=1. Obv: CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bearded, laureate head r. Rx: IOVI CONSE - RVATORI Jupiter standing l. holding globe and scepter, .SM.TS. in exergue, large wreath in l. field, A in r. field. Acquired March 2007. Some silvering. gVF.....45
493. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Thessalonica, c. 312-3 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.18g. RIC-61b (C), officina B=2. Obv: IMP C CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassad r., seen from front, bearded. Rx: IOVI CONSERVATORI AVGG NN Jupiter standing l. holding Victory on globe and scepter, at feet eagle holding wreath in beak, .TS.B. in exergue. Acquired from Pegasi, January 2002. gVF / aVF.....50
494. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Thessalonica, 312-3 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.45g. RIC-61b (C), officina E=5. Obv: IMP C CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bearded bust laureate, draped, cuirassad r., seen from front. Rx: IOVI CONSERVATORI AVGG NN Jupiter standing l. holding Victory on globe and scepter, eagle with wreath in beak at feet, .TS.E. in exergue. Acquired in March 2007. gVF / VF.....45
495. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Heraclea, early 313 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.48g. RIC-75 (C), officina E=5. Obv: IMP C FL VAL CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Head laureate r. Rx: IOVI CONS - ERVATORI AVGG Jupiter standing l. holding Victory on globe, who crowns him, and scepter, eagle at his feet offers him wreath in beak, SMHT in exergue, E in r. field. Ex Owen 15, 19 January 1995, lot 101. Much silvering, some pitting. VF.....50
496. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Cyzicus, 317-20 AD, Reduced Folllis with substantial silvering, 3.43g. RIC-8, officina Δ=4 (r1). Obv: IMP CONSTA - NTINVS AVG Bust laureate l. holding mappa, globe, and scepter. Rx: IOVI CONS - ERVATORI AVGG Jupiter standing l. holding Victory on globe, who crowns him, and scepter, SMK in exergue, wreath and Δ in field. Ex Wayne Phillips List 282, September 2002, no. 313. Much silvering, pitting on reverse. EF / VF.....60
497. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Cyzicus, 321-4 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.28g. RIC-14, officina B=2 (r3). Obv: IMP C FL VAL CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Bust radiate, draped, cuirassad r., seen from front. Rx: IOVI CONS - ERVATORI Jupiter standing l. holding Victory on globe and scepter topped by eagle, to l. eagle with wreath in beak, to r. seated captive looking up at him; SMK in exergue, X / IIF in r. field. Ex Robinson 89, 20 November 2013, lot 325. Dark brown patina. aEF / VF.....75
498. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Rome, 318-9 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.40g. RIC-146, officina P=1 (r3); C-470 (2 Fr.). Obv: CONSTA - NTINVS AVG Bust r. wearing cuirass and crested helmet. Rx: ROMAE A - ETERNAE Roma seated r. on shield inscribing X / V on shield that rests on her knee, P - R in field, RP in exergue. Acquired from Frank Robinson, October 2009. Scarce and interesting type struck at the mint of Rome only, referring to vows for Constantine's safe completion of fifteen years of rule. Dark patina with red highlighting. Fine.....75
499. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Thessalonica, 319 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.33g. RIC-66, officina Γ=3 (r5), C-658 (10 Fr.). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Bust laureate, cuirassad r., seen from front. Rx: VIRT - EXERC Sol raising r. hand and holding globe in l., standing above pattern formed of four conjoined X's, .TS.Γ. in exergue. Acquired from Pete Burbules, April 1997. Rare reverse type, very rare variant: with bust right this coin gets r5 in RIC (one coin each from officinae 3 and 4), compared with only r3 for bust left. Traditionally called "The plan of a Roman camp", this reverse type probably in fact depicts the famous vision of Constantine I, the cross within a circle surrounding the sun that he and his army saw in the sky while marching north from Marseilles in spring 310 AD. This explanation of the type, proposed by David Miller in The Celator in the early 1990s, has assumed new claims to validity now that Peter Weiss, in Volume 16 (2003) of the Journal of Roman Archaeology, has convincingly explained Constantine's vision as a solar halo that appeared in Gaul in 310. This may be the last appearance of the pagan sun god on Roman coins (RIC VII, p. 494). Light pitting on obverse. F / VF.....350
500. **CONSTANTINE THE GREAT**; 307-337 AD, Reduced folllis, London, 318-9 AD, 2.69g. RIC-158 (s). Obv: IMP CONSTANTI - NVS AVG Cuirassad bust l., wearing crested helmet and holding spear over r. shoulder. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories holding shield inscribed VOT P R above altar decorated with diamond and pellets, PLN in exergue. Dark brown patina. Near Mint State.....250
501. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Trier, 319 AD, Reduced Folllis, 2.91g, apparently an ancient imitation copying RIC-221. Obv: IMP CONSTAN - TINVS MII PII (sic) Cuirassad bust r. wearing laureate helmet. Rx: V - CTORIAE (sic) LAETAE PRINC
- PE Two Victories standing on either side of an altar decorated with a star, the one on r. holding a shield above the altar, the one on l. inscribing V.T (sic) / P R on the shield; .STR (?) in exergue. Acquired from Zauche, September 1996. The botched legends indicate that this is an ancient imitation, though the style is competent and it has a fine portrait. Green patina, pit at center of reverse. gVF.....50
502. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Lugdunum, 320 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.12g. RIC-79 (c1), Bastien-19 (49 spec.). Obv: CONS - TANTINVS MAX AVG Cuirassad bust r., seen from front, wearing high-crested helmet. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories standing on either side of an altar, the one on right holding a shield above the altar, the one on left inscribing VOT / P R on the shield; in exergue two seated and bound captives between the letters P - L. A combination of two scarce and interesting features: the high-crested helmet on the obverse and the captives in exergue on the reverse. Ex Cederlind 169, 31 May 2013, lot 333. Dark brown patina. gEF.....275
503. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Arles, 319 AD, Reduced Folllis, 2.52g. RIC-190, officina P=1 (r3). Obv: IMP CONSTAN - TINVS MAX AVG Cuirassad bust r. wearing laureate helmet. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories standing on either side of an altar, the one on r. holding a shield above the altar, the one on l. inscribing VOT P R on the shield; PARL (?) in exergue. Acquired from Zauche, September 1996. Mint and officina attribution not certain, since corrosion has mostly removed the first two letters of the mintmark. With much original silvering. Three small pits in reverse exergue. VF.....25
504. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Arles, 319 AD, Reduced Folllis, 2.84g. RIC-194, officina T=3 (r1). Obv: IMP CONSTA - NTINVS AVG Cuirassad bust r. wearing laureate helmet. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories standing on either side of an altar, the one on r. holding a shield above the altar, the one on l. inscribing VOT P R on the shield; TARL in exergue. Acquired from Zauche, August 2003. Smooth dark brown patina. gVF.....65
505. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Ticinum, 318 AD, Reduced Folllis, 2.53g. RIC-83, officina P=1 (r2). Obv: IMP CONSTANT - INVS AVG Cuirassad bust l., seen from front, wearing high-crested helmet and holding shield over r. shoulder. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories standing on either side of an altar, the one on right holding a shield above the altar, the one on left inscribing VOT / P R on the shield; in exergue P T. Ex Robinson 63, 5 July 2005, lot 393. Considered to be a billon argenteus by its previous owner, because of traces of silver or silvering beneath the patina on both obverse and reverse. Silvering covered with dusty light brown patination. Minor chipping along bottom edge of reverse. aEF.....75
506. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Siscia, 318-9 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.32g. RIC-49. Obv: IMP CONSTANTI - NVS AVG Cuirassad bust l., wearing crested helmet and holding spear over r. shoulder. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories holding shield inscribed VOT P R above altar decorated with large X, ΓSIS* in exergue. Acquired from Zauche, February 1994. RIC lists only a single coin of this type, from officina A, but six specimens from officina Γ, like our coin, are recorded in Lech Stepniewski's Not in RIC. VF / F.....20
507. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Siscia, 318-9 AD, Folllis, 3.29g. RIC-53, officina A=1 (r1). Obv: IMP CONSTANTINVS P F AVG Cuirassad bust r., seen from front, wearing laureate helmet. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories holding shield inscribed VOT P R above altar, ASIS in exergue. Acquired from Zauche, September 1996. Black patina, traces of silvering. EF.....50
508. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Siscia, 318-9 AD, Reduced Folllis, 3.02g. RIC-55, officina Γ=3 (r4). Obv: IMP CONSTANTI - NVS AVG Cuirassad bust l., seen from front, wearing high-crested helmet and holding shield over r. shoulder. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories standing on either side of an altar, the one on right holding a shield above the altar, the one on left inscribing VOT / P R on the shield; in exergue ΓSIS. Acquired from Zauche, March 2006. Considered to be a billon argenteus by its previous owner, because of traces of silver or silvering beneath the patina on both obverse and reverse. Dark patination over silvering. VF / F.....20
509. **CONSTANTINE THE GREAT**; 307-337 AD, Siscia, 318-9 AD, Reduced Folllis, 2.25g. RIC-56, officina B=2 (r4). Obv: IMP CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Cuirassad bust l., wearing crested helmet; holding spear over r. shoulder and shield before l. shoulder. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories holding shield inscribed VOT P R above altar, BSIS in exergue. Altar decoration l (RIC p. 460). Ex Berk 170, 29 July 2010, lot 355. Traces of ancient silvering, particularly in the emperor's eye on the obverse. EF.....125
510. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Siscia, 319 AD, Reduced Folllis, 2.76g. RIC-94, officina E=5 (r3). Obv: CONSTANT - INVS AVG Cuirassad bust l., seen from front, wearing high-crested helmet and holding shield over r. shoulder. Rx: VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories standing on either side of an altar, the one on right holding a shield above the altar, the one on left inscribing VOT / P R on the shield; in exergue ESIS*. Ex Owen 8, 2 February 1993, lot 148. Black patina, a few pits on obverse. gF.....20
511. **CONSTANTINE THE GREAT**; 307-337 AD, Siscia, 319-20 AD, Reduced Folllis, 2.84g. RIC-95, officina B=2 (r3). Obv: CONSTANTI - NVS AVG Cuirassad bust l., belt across cuirass, wearing high-crested helmet, holding spear over r. shoulder, shield on l. arm. Rx: VICT LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories holding shield inscribed VOT P R above altar, on altar I, BSIS[*] in exergue. Officina letter smudged, must be A or B because of the I on altar. Ex Berk 170, 29 July 2010, lot 356. Silvered. Mint State.....125
512. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Ancient copy of Reduced Folllis struck at Siscia, 2.03g. Obv: CONSTANTIN - VS AVG Cuirassad bust l., seen from front, wearing high-crested helmet, holding spear over r. shoulder. Rx: [VICT] LAETAE PRINC PERP Two Victories holding shield inscribed TOA P P (blundered) above altar, *SIS

- in exergue. Acquired from York Coins, March 1994. Black patina. VF.....25
513. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Barbarous Reduced Folliis, 2.13g. Obv: IHNCNTRCONNH (blundered) Helmeted, cuirassed bust of Constantine r., seen from front. Rx: NNNNN... (blundered) Two Victories holding shield with illegible inscription above altar marked with X, NNN in exergue. Ex Robinson Sale, 4 May 2011. Flan flaws on emperor's chin and cheek. Brown toning over red metal. VF...35
514. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Ticinum, 320 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.41g. RIC-114, officina S=2 (s). Obv: CONST - A - NTINVS AVG Helmeted, cuirassed bust r., seen from front. Rx: VIRTVS - EXERCIT Vexillum inscribed VOT / X X with captive seated on either side, S T in exergue. Helmet causes unusual small second break A - N in obverse legend, not recorded by Bruck, Kupferprägung, p. 88. Ex Palladium 6, 6 September 1994, lot 439. Nice helmeted portrait. EF.....125
515. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, London, 322-3 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.48g. RIC-242 (r2). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Bust cuirassed l., seen from front, wearing crested helmet. Rx: BEAT TRA - NQLITAS Altar inscribed VOT / IS / XX in three lines, on the altar a globe with three stars above it, in exergue PLON, F - B across field. VF.....25
516. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Trier, 323 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.94g. RIC-390, officina S=2 (r2). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Bust laureate right wearing consular robes and holding eagle-tipped scepter. Rx: BEATA TRAN - QVILLITAS around, in exergue. STR followed by crescent, altar inscribed VO / TIS / XX in three lines, on the altar a globe with three stars above it. Rare consular bust type. Ex Berk 108, 12 May 1999, lot 646. The obverse slightly rough. gVF.....110
517. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Ticinum, 320 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.49g. RIC-131, officina T=3 (?) (r3). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Head radiate r. Rx: VOT / * / XX within wreath, D N CONSTANTINI MAX AVG around, TT in exergue. Ex CNG 51, 15 September 1999, lot 1448. Rare radiate portrait of Constantine; RIC records this type from three officinae, each rated r3. Our coin may be from officina T=3, but the letter is indistinct. EF / VF.....200
518. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Heraclea, 325-6 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.55g. RIC-72, officina Δ=4 (r3). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Head r. wearing plain diadem, looking upwards. Rx: VOT / XXX within wreath, D N CONSTANTINI MAX AVG around, SMHA in exergue. Ex Robinson 82, 20 September 2011, lot 357; with earlier ticket from S & S Ancient Coins. Dark brown patina, reddish highlighting. aVF.....25
519. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Heraclea, 327-9 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.98g. RIC-92, officina A=1 (S). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Head r. wearing plain diadem, looking upwards. Rx: VOT / XXX within wreath, D N CONSTANTINI MAX AVG around, SMHA in exergue. Acquired from Pete Burbulus, December 1996. Dark patina, light roughness on emperor's cheek. aVF.....50
520. **CONSTANTINE I, OBERSE LEGEND ERROR**; 307-337 AD, Heraclea, 327-9 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.98g. Erroneous variant of RIC-92, officina Δ=4 (s). Obv: CONSTEN - TINVS (sic) AVG Head r. wearing plain diadem, looking upwards. Rx: VOT / XXX within wreath, D N CONSTANTINI MAX AVG around, SMHA in exergue. Apparent spelling error in obverse legend, CONSTANTINVS, with an E in place of the correct A; possibly unpublished, since not noted in RIC or in Lech Stepniewski's Not in RIC. Scattered pitting and roughness. Fine.....65
521. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Antioch, 324-5 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.28g. RIC-57, officina Γ=3 (r3); C-110. Obv: Head laureate r., no legend. Rx: CONSTAN / TINVS / AVG in three lines across field, wreath above, SMANTT and pellet below. Ex Palladium 49, July 1995, lot 446. Rare and attractive "dynastic" type. Dark patina with red highlighting. aVF.....125
522. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Antioch, 324-5 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.39g. RIC-57, officina Z=7 (r5); C-110. Obv: Head laureate r., no legend. Rx: CONSTAN / TINVS / AVG in three lines across field, wreath above, SMANTZ and pellet below. Acquired from Clark's, March 1997. Rare and attractive "dynastic" type, rated "r5", unique in Oxford, from our officina 7. VF.....225
523. **CRISPUS AS CAESAR**; 317-326 AD, Antioch, 324-5 AD, Folliis, 2.01g. RIC-53, new officina B=2; C-60 (3 Fr.). Obv: No legend. Bust of Crispus laureate, draped and cuirassed l., seen from front. Rx: CRISPVS / CAESAR / SMANTB in three lines across field, star above. Ex Robinson 44, 17 May 1999, lot 552. Rare dynastic type for Crispus, unattested from officina B in RIC, though Lech Stepniewski's Addenda to RIC records two such coins. Dark patina, a few old scratches on obverse. VF.....225
524. **CONSTANTINUS II AS CAESAR**; 317-337 AD, Antioch, 324-5 AD, Reduced Folliis, 1.93g. RIC-59, officina Δ=4 (r4); C-83 (1 Fr.). Obv: No legend. Bust of Constantine II laureate, draped and cuirassed l., seen from front. Rx: CONSTAN / TINVS / CAESAR / SMANTΔ in four lines across field, star above, pellet below. Ex Robinson 42, 21 September 1998, lot 581. Rare dynastic type for Constantine II. Flan flaw before emperor's nose and forehead. gF.....125
525. **CONSTANTIUS II AS CAESAR**; 324-337 AD, Antioch, 324-5 AD, Reduced Folliis, 1.84g. RIC-55, officina S=6 (r3); C-20. Obv: No legend. Bust of Constantius II laureate, draped and cuirassed l., seen from front. Rx: CONSTAN / TIVS / CAESAR / SMANTS in four lines across field, star above. Ex Clark's List 94, March 1995, lot 181. Rare dynastic type for Constantius II. Pitted surfaces, flan slightly bent. F.....45
526. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Cyzicus, 325-6 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.39g. RIC-34, officina A=1 (c3). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: PROVIDEN - TIAE AVGG Campgate with two turrets, no doors, star above, SMKA. in exergue. Acquired from Zauche, March 2006. Original silvering visible on both sides. gVF.....20
527. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Cyzicus, 326-7 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.75g. RIC-44, officina Δ=4 (c3). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: PROVIDEN - TIAE AVGG Camp gate with two turrets, no doors, star above, SMKA. in exergue. Acquired from Zauche, March 2006. Original silvering visible on both sides. VF.....25
528. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Cyzicus, 328-9 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.30g. RIC-55, officina B=2 (?). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Head diademed r. Rx: PROVIDEN - TIAE AVGG Camp gate with two turrets, no doors, star above, SMKB. in exergue. Small die breaks make the reading of the officina letter uncertain. Acquired from Reeves, May 1997. Red highlighting on dark patina, pitting at top of reverse, otherwise. gVF.....30
529. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Antioch, 326-7 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.24g. RIC-71, officina A=1 (r3). Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Head laureate r. Rx: PROVIDEN - TIAE AVGG Camp gate with two turrets, no doors, pellet in doorway, star above, SMANTA in exergue. Acquired from Wood, December 2009. Beautiful portrait, brown patina. gEF.....125
530. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Constantinople, 327 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.70g. RIC-18, officina B=2 (r1); C-319 (3 Fr.). Obv: CONSTANTI - NVS MAX AV[G] Head laureate r. Rx: LIBERT - A - S - PVBLICA Victory standing r., head l., on galley r., holding wreath in each hand, CONS in exergue, B in l. field. Ex Cederling Sale, December 2012, lot 158. Libertas arriving by galley, bearing the wreaths of Victory, seems to refer to Constantine's naval attack on Constantinopolis, his defeat of Licinius, and his restoration of "freedom" to the people of the East. Dark brown patina. gVF.....350
531. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Constantinople, 327-8 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.15g. RIC-25, officina E=5 (s); C-319 (3 Fr.). Obv: CONSTANTI - NVS MAX AVG Head r. wearing plain diadem. Rx: LIBERT - A - S - PVBLICA Victory standing r., head l., on galley r., holding wreath in each hand, CONS in exergue, E in l. field. Ex Wayne Phillips List 338, May 2007, no. 218. Libertas arriving by galley, bearing the wreaths of Victory, seems to refer to Constantine's naval attack on Constantinopolis, his defeat of Licinius, and his restoration of "freedom" to the people of the East. Dark brown patina, considerable silvering in fields. gEF.....500
532. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Constantinople, 328 AD, Reduced Folliis, 3.45g. RIC-32, officina uncertain. Obv: CONSTANTI - NVS MAX AVG Head r. wearing rosette diadem, looking upwards. Rx: CONSTANTINI - ANA DAFNE Victory seated l., head r., on cippus, holding laurel branch and palm branch and placing foot on kneeling captive, trophy behind captive, CONS in exergue, uncertain officina letter in l. field. Scarce type. The upward-looking, divinely-inspired portrait of Constantine and the diadem rather than laurel wreath that he wears had been introduced together on the coins about four years before our piece was struck, c. 324 AD, according to Bruun, RIC VII, p. 44. On the reverse the branch that Victory holds in her right hand is clearly different, perhaps laurel, than the palm branch she holds in her left hand. Both branches are wrongly called palms by Cohen 89 and RIC pp. 574-5. Surfaces pitted. Fine.....25
533. **CONSTANTINE I, NAME MISPELLED**; 307-337 AD, Cyzicus, 331-4 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.53g. Diadem and obv. legend var. of RIC-79, officina Γ=3 (r4). Obv: CONSTAN - NVS (sic, TI left out) MAX AVG Bust draped, cuirassed r., seen from front, wearing rosette and laurel-leaf diadem. Rx: GLOR - IA EXERC - ITVS Two soldiers standing with two standards between them, SMKT in exergue. Acquired from Robert Charles, July 2001. An apparently unrecorded obverse legend error, not in either RIC or Lech Stepniewski's Not in RIC. Our laureate bust type is also not listed by RIC, though Bruck, Kupferprägung, p. 26 indicates that this bust type occurs at Cyzicus. Dark green patination. aVF / VG.....85
534. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Antioch, 330-3 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.30g. RIC-59, officina B (r1). Obv: CONSTANTI - NVS MAX AVG Bust draped, cuirassed r., seen from front, wearing rosette and laurel-leaf diadem. Rx: GLOR - IA EXERC - ITVS Two soldiers standing with two standards between them, CONSB in exergue. Acquired from Whidden, May 2007. aEF / VF.....40
535. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Antioch, 330-3 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.41g. Bust var. of RIC-59, officina B=2. Obv: CONSTANTI - NVS MAX AVG Bust draped, cuirassed r., seen from front, wearing plain diadem. Rx: GLOR - IA EXERC - ITVS Two soldiers standing with two standards between them, CONSB in exergue. Constantine's diadem is plain on this coin, not rosette as called for in RIC. Ex Robinson 72, 21 July 2007, lot 268. Dark patina. gVF.....50
536. **CONSTANTINE I**; 307-337 AD, Alexandria, 333-5 AD, Reduced Folliis, 2.98g. RIC-58, officina B=2 (c2). Obv: CONSTANTI - NVS MAX AVG Bust draped, cuirassed r., seen from front, wearing rosette and laurel-leaf diadem. Rx: GLOR - IA EXERC - ITVS Two soldiers standing with two standards between them, SMALB in exergue. Acquired from Reeves, May 1997. With silvering remaining in fields on both sides, unusual in this late series. Deposits near middle of reverse. gVF / VF.....35
537. **CONSTANTINE II**; 337-340 AD, Antioch, Reduced Folliis, 1.69g. RIC-40 (S), officina E=5. Obv: CONSTAN - TINVS AVG Bust laureate, draped, cuirassed r., seen from front. Rx: GLOR - IA EXERC - ITVS Two soldiers standing with one standard between them, SMANE in exergue. Ex Robinson 84, 28 July 2012, lot 314. Small pit on emperor's cheek, otherwise. EF.....125
538. **CONSTANTINE I, DIVUS**; Died 337 AD, Arles, 337-40 AD, AE 4, 1.37g. RIC-41 (R2), mintmark CON with officina letter (P or S) off flan. Obv: DIVO CONS - TANTINO P Veiled head r. Rx: AETERN - A PIETAS Emperor in military dress standing r. holding spear and globe, [PCON] or [SCON] in exergue, X in l. field. Acquired from Wood, December 2009. A rare variant, with X in left field, of this scarce reverse type of Divus Constantine, which was struck only at Arles and Lugdunum. Rough, dark green patina. VF.....100
539. **CONSTANTINE I, DIVUS**; Died 337 AD, Antioch, 337-40 AD, AE 4, 1.33g. RIC-37 (C3), officina letter unclear. Obv: DV CONSTANTI - NVS PT AVGG Veiled head r. Rx: Emperor veiled and with star above his head in quadriga r., hand of God reaches down to him, SMANA (?) in exergue. Acquired from Sunbury. aVF / F.....20
540. **BOSPORUS, RHESUPORIS V AND CONSTANTINE I**; Year 620=323/4 AD, Billon Stater, 6.93g. MacDonald-679. Obv: BACIAEWC PHCKOVTIOPIC Diademed bust of Rhesuporis r., uncertain symbol below chin. Rx: Laureate bust of

- Constantine r., date K - X across field. Ex Brian Kritt List 36, September 1998, no. 58. Thick green and red patination. VF.....65
541. **CONSTANTINE I**; Bronze reproduction of unpublished gold medallion struck at Constantinople, 21.26g. Obv: CONSTANTINVS - AVGV[STVS] Head r. wearing rosette diadem. Rx: Emperor standing facing in frontal quadriga of four elephants, holding mappa (?) in raised r. hand, eagle-tipped scepter in l.; circular legend, if any, illegible; mintmark CONS in exergue. Acquired from Reeves, June 1997. Possibly a bronze cast of an otherwise unknown genuine gold medallion. Our coin cannot be an authentic bronze medallion or a cast of one, because bronze medallions of this era were regularly smaller and did not have mintmarks. Similar reverse types of the emperor in a frontal quadriga of elephants are known on gold medallions of Diocletian and Maximian, with legend IMPP DIOCLETIANO ET MAXIMIANO CCSS (Gnecchi pl. 5, 1-2), and of Constantine himself, struck at Trier (mintmark PTR), with legend INNVMERI TRIVMFI AVG N (Toynbee, Medallions, pl. IV.3). The types of these known medallions differ from our type in that they add a Victory crowning the emperor or emperors in the chariot, and show four lictors holding fasces in the background above the elephants. The flan thin and slightly bent. Black patination, lighter on the types. Fine.....250
542. **LOT OF SIX CONSTANTINIAN BRONZE COINS**; Four bronze coins of Constantine I, including a FIL AVGG of Thessalonica (RIC VI-32b); one of Constantine II as Augustus; the sixth coin a billion stater of Rhescuporis V and Constantine I, Year 621=324/5 AD. Each coin described and attributed, with a Berk ticket and with McIntosh's collection ticket giving source and date of purchase. McIntosh's price paid for all six coins: \$100. This lot sold as is, no returns. Condition generally Fine.....100

WORLD COINS

543. **AUSTRIA, ND (1680-96), 2 THALER, EF**; AUSTRIA, Holy Roman Empire. Leopold I. Emperor, 1658-1705. AR Doppeltaler. Hall mint. Laureate and armored bust right / Crowned eagle facing, head left, with wings spread. Dav-3251. Toned. EF.....1700
544. **AUSTRIA, PRAGUE, 1624, THALER, VF**; Holy Roman Empire, Bohemia. Taler, 1624. Prague Mint. Ferdinand II (1620-37). KM 3136. Toned. VF.....500
545. **FRANCE, CAROLINGIAN, ND, DENIER, AU**; Denier, Eudes, King of West Francia, 887-898. Limoges mint. 1.8g, 22.5mm Obv:+GRATIAD-IRE, ODO with upper and lower crosses in center circle. Rx:+ LIMOVICAS CIVIS. Beautiful patina and rarely seen in this nice condition! Odo (or Eudes) (c. 852 – 1 January 898) was a King of Western Francia, reigning from 888 to 898. He was a son of Robert the Strong, count of Anjou, whose branch of the family is known as the Robertians. Odo is also known as the Duke of France and Count of Paris. AU.....1600
546. **FRANCE, SILVER LOUIS XVI FRENCH ACADEMY JETON, VF**; Jeton, No Date. Initials N.G.A below sleeve. Ref: No. 2944 in 1991 Jeton Cat. Victor Gadoury. VF.....100
547. **GERMAN STATES, BAVARIA, 1781 THALER, VF**; 1781, Thaler, Karl Theodor 1724-1799. The Radiant Madonna in clouds seated enthroned with scepter and child Jesus, with feet on moon sickle. Adjustment marks on reverse is typical for this issue. Dav-1965. VF.....200
548. **GERMAN STATES, LUBECK, 1625 TALER, EF**; 1625, Thaler, MONE.NOVA St. John with lamb and city arms/Eagles with haloes. 28.6g. Rare and difficult to acquire. Clnd. EF.....700
549. **GERMAN STATES, STOLBERG, 1720, 2/3 THALER, EF**; 1720, 2/3 Thaler, Christoph Friedrich and Christian Jost 1704-1738. (24 Mariengroschen) Elk advancing left in front of City pillar. Dav-1000, Sch-19. Lightly toned. EF.....550
550. **GERMANY, 1927 A, 5 REICHSMARK, AU**; 1927, 5 Reichsmark, 400th Anniversary - Philipps University in Marburg. Nicely toned. AU.....300
551. **GREAT BRITAIN, 1700 HALF CROWN, NGC, MS62**; 1700, Half Crown, William III (1689-1702). 400th Anniversary - Philipps University in Marburg. ESC-561. Nicely toned. MS62.....1200
552. **GREAT BRITAIN, ENGLAND, ÆTHELSTAN (927-939), N.D., PENNY, EF**; Penny, Æthelstan (927-939). 1.44g Penny, 'Circumscription cross', York mint, 929-939. Small cross, symbol in field, 'REX TO BRIT'. Rv: "REGNALD MO FORPIC", small cross. Very rare. The moneyer Regnald at York also issued during Viking authority. Æthelstan was the first king to use the title "King of all Britain" which this coin commemorates. N-672, S-1093. An exceptionally lovely example with old cabinet toning, and with an unpublished symbol in field. Ex Schembri Collection. EF.....3550
553. **GREAT BRITAIN, ENGLAND, ELIZABETH I (1558-1603), 1562, 6 PENCE, EF/AU**; 6 Pence, Milled. Large bust with elaborate dress and small rose. mm: Star (London). S-2596, N-2027. A truly stunning coin with lovely orange and blue hues. EF / AU.....2300
554. **GREAT BRITAIN, JAMES I 1603-1625, ND, SHILLING, EF**; Shilling, Second coinage 1604-19, 4th bust, plainer armour and scallop (1606-7). 5.7g, 30.6mm. S-2655. Some weakness on the left side of flan. Overall beautiful patina and very crisp reverse. Gray blue toning. EF.....650
555. **GREAT BRITAIN, ENGLAND, JAMES I, 1603-1625, 1606, 6 PENCE, CH VF**; 1606, 6 Pence, Second Coinage, 1604-19. Mm Escallop. Crowned bust r. Rv: Arms. S-2657. Nice example of the Scottish king that was heir to Elizabeth. CH VF.....450
556. **GUERNESEY, 1834, 8 DOUBLES, NGC, MS66, BN**; 1834, 8 Doubles, Obv: National arms within 3/4 wreath. Rx: Value, date within wreath. Graded Brown but has lovely red highlights. MS66.....750
557. **HONDURAS, 1889, 10 CENTAVOS, VF**; 1889, 10 Centavos, Weak strike, probably from a late die state. Large cud over last zero of the date. Inverted "1". KM-49. Very nice patina with hints of rainbow hues. Very rare date. VF.....200
558. **IRELAND, 1775, 1/2 PENNY, NGC, MS63, RB**; 1775, 1/2 Penny, George III

- (1760-1820). Obv: GEORGIVS .III .REX. Rx: HIBERNIA. 1775. Beautiful red-brown toning. MS63.....750
559. **ITALIAN STATES, AQUILEIA, 1204-1218, DENARO, VF**; Denaro, Volchero seated facing on throne, holding cruciform scepter and book / Eagle standing right, with wings spread, wearing nimbus crown. CNI VI 4 var. (obv. legend). Bernardi 12. Biaggi 140. RARE. Ex CNG 88. lot 1887. AR 21mm, 1.19g, Toned. VF.....1800
560. **ITALIAN STATES, NAPOLI, EMPEROR CHARLES V (CHARLES I OF SPAIN) 1516-1554, ND, SCUDO, VF**; Scudo, Obv: CAROLVS V ROMANO IMPERA, laureate head right; (IBR) to left; below bust, rosette with four pellets flanking. Rx: RA RAG OV SIC crowned double-headed eagle over coat of arms. Giovan Battista Ravaschien, Mintmaster. 3.33g. 23mm. CNI XIX 96. Pannuti-Ricio 9a. MIR 131/1. Friedberg 834. Toned. VF.....3500
561. **ITALIAN STATES, NAPOLI, EMPEROR CHARLES V (CHARLES I OF SPAIN) 1516-1554, ND, TARI, AU/UNC**; Tari, Obv: CAROLVS.IIIII. ROM. IMP IBR. Bust right. Rx: .R.HISPA.V TRIVR.S Crowned eagles over coat of arms. Reverse legend rare. 6.19g, 27mm. Pannuti-Riccio 21a, Fiorelli 6751. Gorgeous rainbow toning and beautiful portrait. AU / UNC.....1250
562. **NETHERLANDS, UTRECHT, 1568 BURGUNDIAN DAALDER, VF**; 1568, Daalder, Provincial - UTRECHT Glory 1528 - 1577. Cross of Burgundy frans in 1568, Silver, PHILIPS II 1555-1581 Two crossed sticks on fire crowned language between year PHS • D • G • HISP • Z • REX • DNS • TRAIEC city shield. Kz. crowned arms with chain of the Golden Fleece • DOMINVS • MI • HI • • ADIVTOR. 28.4grams. Dav. 8522. Condition as made. VF.....425
563. **SCOTLAND, ND, 30 SHILLINGS, PCGS, AU55**; Struck 1637-1642, 30 Shillings, Scotland, ND 30 Shillings, PCGS. AU55, STUART. Charles I. 1625-1649. Third (Falconer's Anonymous) coinage. Class V; im: thistle. Edinburgh mint. Struck 1637-1642. • CAROLVS • D : G • MAG • BRIT • FRAN • & • HIB • REX •, Charles on horseback left, holding reins and raised sword / QVÆ • DEVS • CONINXIT • NEMO • SEPARET •, garnished square-topped coat-of-arms; crown above. SCBC 5557. Attractive old cabinet tone. AU55.....2000

ANTIQUITIES

Twenty-five of the antiquities listed in this catalog come from the estate of the late Lester and Betty Guttman. Lester Guttman was a Senior Scientist at Argonne National Laboratory and former editor of the Journal of Applied Physics. Lester graduated from the University of Minnesota with a BS in chemistry in 1940 and got his Ph.D. from University of California, Berkeley, where he remained a research assistant until his services were needed by the Metallurgy Division of the Manhattan Engineering District in 1943. In 1946 he returned to university research at the University of Chicago, joining what is now the James Franck Institute, studying grain structure of metals and superconductivity and super fluidity. Guttman began a Guggenheim Fellowship at AERE, Harwell (Atomic Energy Research Establishment) in 1955 and upon returning to the US, joined General Electric Research Laboratories. In 1960, at age 41, he joined the Solid State Science Division at Argonne, his research covering both theoretical and experimental areas. In 1965 he joined the Journal of Applied Physics as an associate editor and became Editor of the Journal in 1974. He held that position until 1989, three years after his formal retirement from Argonne. Lester's wife of over 50 years, Betty, was born in Evansville, Indiana and spent her childhood in Joliet. Betty also worked at Argonne Labs and edited the Journal "McIlvainea: Journal of American Amateur Mycology" alongside Lester. Together they traveled the world, collected photography, hunted for exotic mushrooms, enjoyed opera, raised orchids and tended to their Siamese cats. All of their antiquities were purchased shortly after their marriage in the early 1960s while traveling overseas. Lester Guttman died in 2006 and Betty Guttman followed in 2014. Having no descendants they left their entire estate to charity.

NEAR EASTERN

564. **ANATOLIAN MARBLE VIOLIN IDOL**, ca. early 3rd Millennium BC. Of stylized form, with rounded body, rudimentary triangular arms and tall tapering neck, repaired at upper neck. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 4 1/4" (11 cm).....300
565. **ANATOLIAN SCHEMATIC MARBLE FERTILITY IDOL**, ca. early 3rd Millennium BC. With pouch-like body and arm stumps. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 2 3/8" (6 cm).....950
566. **SYRIAN TERRACOTTA FERTILITY GODDESS**, Bronze Age, ca. 1950-1750 BC. A beautiful, rare type. Much more elongated and realistically modeled compared to most idols of this period and region. Elegant, abstract form with arms touching just above the hip. Incised pubic triangle. Modeled in tan terracotta. A very unusual type. Losses to base, arm and head. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 5 1/4" (13.3 cm).....7500
567. **ANATOLIAN MARBLE VIOLIN IDOL**, ca. early 2nd Millennium BC. The flat rounded body with short protruding arms, the neck with small disc head. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 2 3/8" (6 cm).....450
568. **SYRO-HITTITE TERRACOTTA BIRD HEADED IDOL**, ca. mid 2nd Millennium BC. A more unusual seated type with a tripod base. The idol with bird-head and pierced eyes, a conical hat at the top. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 4 1/2" (11.4 cm).500
569. **SYRO-HITTITE TERRACOTTA VOTIVE BULL**, ca. late 2nd Millennium BC. Modeled bull standing foursquare. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. L. 5 1/4" H. 4 1/8" (13.3 x 10.5 cm).....650
570. **SYRO-HITTITE TERRACOTTA IDOL**, ca. 1500 BC. Sculpted with a flat body, angular shoulders and hips, the legs separated by a central groove, with applied disk

- navel, the abbreviated arms projecting from the body, elongated neck supporting bird-like head with pinched nose and disk eyes, with applied rounded necklace and perforated headdress. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 4 1/4" (11 cm).....1850
571. **AMLASH TERRACOTTA STEATOPYGOS FIGURE**, ca. Early 1st Millennium BC. With exaggerated broad hips and short tapering legs, the stubby arms pinched to either side, long neck with globular head and high hair ornament behind. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 4" (10 cm)4500
- EGYPTIAN**
572. **EGYPTIAN WOODEN FLOOR BOARD OF SARCOPHAGUS**, Middle Kingdom, 12th Dynasty, ca. 1850 BC. Extremely rare and interesting floor board from the bottom of a large sarcophagus. Originally all inside sections of the sarcophagus would have had magical spells upon it to instruct the person for the after-life, as does this piece with its hieratic inscription. This bottom section contains coffin text, spell 335 which relates to the judgment of the dead. Typically this spell is located on the lid or side panels and there is only one other recorded example of this occurring on the bottom and resides on a sarcophagus of Sobekhotep located in the British Museum. The script on our piece is written in two different colors as to state questions and answers and finally there are traces of blue which represent water, the means of travel to the After-Life. Custom mount. Ex Chicago Collection, acquired in Cairo in the late 1950's. L. 22.5" (57 cm).....2000
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574. **EGYPTIAN ALABASTER EAR PLUG**, New Kingdom, ca. 1350-1250 BC. Sculpted in alabaster with rounded disc shaped terminal. L. 15/16" (2.4 cm)950
575. **EGYPTIAN FAIENCE USHABTI**, Third Intermediate Period, ca. 1085-715 BC. Pale green faience ushabti with painted black details and glyphs, "Illuminate the Osiris Khaemwast, true of voice". L. 4 1/2" (11.4 cm).....700
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578. **EGYPTIAN BRONZE EYE AND BROW INLAYS**, Third Intermediate to Late Period, ca. 1085-330 BC. The lids with extending cosmetic lines, the interiors inlaid with white stone sclera, the irises in painted black, together with curved bronze eye brows. Light green and blue patina. L. 2 3/8" and 2 1/2" (6 x 6.3 cm).....825
579. **EGYPTIAN BRONZE EYE AND BROW INLAYS**, Third Intermediate to Late Period, ca. 1085-330 BC. The lids with extending cosmetic lines, the interiors inlaid with white stone sclera, the irises in painted black, together with delicately curved bronze eye brows. L. 3 1/4" (8 cm)1000
580. **EGYPTIAN BRONZE CAT**, Late Period, ca. 715-330 BC. Seated with ears erect and its tail curled around the right side. Bronze cats were used as votive offerings made in the temple of the cat goddess Bastet. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 1 3/4", 2" with tang (4.5 cm)800
- TERRACOTTA**
581. **EAST GREEK TERRACOTTA BOAR**, ca. mid 1st Millennium BC. With short, pointed legs, muscular body and elongated snout, the ears moulded in relief with a central raised ridge along the back. Earthen encrustation, heavy in some areas. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. L. 3 1/2" (9 cm)800
582. **BOEOTIAN TERRACOTTA SEATED APE**, ca. 6th Century BC. Hand-modeled of gray to buff clay, the ape seated with her arms arching forward and her hands resting on her feet. With a pinched nose and chin, projecting ears, decorated with diagonal stripes, some firing to black. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 3 1/4" (8.3 cm)2850
583. **BOEOTIAN TERRACOTTA HORSE AND RIDER**, Archaic Period, ca. 6th Century BC. Hand modeled and standing foursquare, with high arched neck and long nose, dark brown decorative bands along the body, legs and mane. A popular grave offering in 6th Century Boeotia, the horse and rider was likely added to a wealthy horse owner's grave to symbolize the status that the deceased held in society. Similar figures have been found in sanctuaries and may have been given as offerings. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 6 1/8" L. 6" (15.5 x 15 cm)4850
- CERAMICS**
584. **NEAR EASTERN TERRACOTTA BURNISHED VESSEL**, ca. mid 2nd Millennium BC. A beautifully burnished small lentoid vessel with incised line design radiating from a central circle. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 2 1/2" (6.4cm).....450
585. **GREEK CYPRIOT LENTOID FLASK**, Late Bronze Age, 1500-1200 BC. Incised crossed line design on the front of the piece, a single handle joining the body to the elongated neck. Flared lip. For similar piece see Greek Vases at Toronto, plate IV #57. No restoration. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 7" (17.8 cm).....1950
586. **CYPRIOT PLATTER**, Early Iron Age, 1100-750 BC. With original red and black decorating the backside. No restoration and with an original ticket for 19 pounds. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. W. 11" to handles (28 cm).....1500
587. **VILLANOVAN IMPASTO VESSEL**, ca. 8th Century BC. Of burnished black fabric, with double loop handles, the body with incised and impressed ornament in the shape of a figure. Minor restoration. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 3 3/4" (9.5 cm).850
588. **MAGNA GRAECIA CORINTHIAN ARYBALLOS**, ca. 6th Century BC. With palmettes and foliage, two birds with wings outstretched on either side. Restoration on the body of the vase. H. 2 1/2" (6.4cm).....650
589. **GREEK GEOMETRIC KYLIX**, ca. 725 BC. Band on the body with silhouette birds ("wire birds") with rows of oblique dots ("birdseed") between them at top and bottom. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 2 1/2" x W. 7" (6.3 x 17.8 cm).....1850
590. **MAGNA GRAECIA MINIATURE JUGLET**, ca. 5th Century BC. A black glazed vessel with single loop handle joining the flared lip to the cylindrical body. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 4" (10 cm).275
591. **ATTIC OINOCHOE HEAD VASE OF THE CANESSA CLASS**, 2nd Quarter of the 5th Century BC. The top part of the vessel is wheel-made and takes the form of a trefoil oinochoe, having a mouth pinched into a trefoil shape and a high, curving handle. The mold-made head of the woman served as the body and foot of the vessel. The back of her head, the handle, neck and mouth of the piece is covered with a deep black, shiny glaze. The woman's eyebrows are also indicated by black glaze and her eyes are outlined in black with remains of added white for the sclera of the eyes. Her hair is wrapped in a sakkos, a scarf-like cloth, which is also black and therefore blends in with the black of the handle and mouth of the vessel. It is made evident by the rounded, bulging form at the nape of her neck and, above her forehead, contrasting with a centrally parted hairstyle that emerges from the sakkos and frames the upper part of her face. The band of black encircling the vessel's foot accentuates the base, and may indicate the neckline of a garment. Her perfectly formed features, her full lips and straight nose add to her classic appearance. No restoration. H. 6 3/4".....6500
592. **APULIAN OWL CUP**, ca. 4th Century BC. Each side with owl facing right, head turned frontal, framed by laurel sprigs, on a reserved groundline. One small area of rim restored. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 3" W. to handles 6" (7.6 cm, 15 cm to handles)1450
- GREEK**
593. **GREEK CYCLADIC MARBLE BOWL**, Syros Phase, ca. 3800 BC. Of shallow rounded form, the rim contoured on the interior. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. W. 4 1/2" (11.4 cm).4750
- BRONZES**
594. **LURISTAN BRONZE SNAFFLE BIT**, ca. 1200-800 BC. An early example of the most simplistic type of horse bridle, the snaffle bit. Twisted bronze shaft between two large rings, joined at one end. Reins would have attached directly to the mouth piece on either end. Varied green patina. L. 8 1/4" (21 cm).....1250
595. **SPANISH IBERIAN BRONZE VOTIVE FIGURE**, ca. 5th Century BC. With smooth even patina, arms crossed over the chest, the figure hooded. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 2 1/2" (6.4cm).....250
596. **ROMAN BRONZE DOG BROOCH**, ca. 2nd Century AD. A bronze brooch in the shape of a running dog with upturned tail. Red enameled panel and eye with traces of enamel dots still existing. In ancient Britain the dog was regarded as a symbol of the Celtic healing deity Nodons. Hinged pin intact, very slight loss to catch plate. L. 1 5/8" (4 cm)850
597. **ROMAN BRONZE SITULA HANDLE**, ca. 2nd- 3rd Century AD. A beautifully detailed example. The handle comprised of olive leaves with central cluster design, each side terminating with a panther head and dog head. Partial loss to one of the dog heads. Attractive medium green patina. L. 7 1/2" (19 cm).....1500
- JEWELRY**
598. **BYZANTINE GOLD RING**, 7th-12th Century AD. The Madonna gracefully holds the young Jesus on her hip. To the right an incised cross. Ex Harlan J. Berk, Ltd. 94th Buy or Bid Sale, lot 810 January 16, 1997. Diameter 3/4" (2 cm).....4500
- MISCELLANEOUS**
599. **WEST AFRICAN TERRACOTTA EFFIGY OF A HEAD**, ca. 1000 AD. A West African piece, likely Ghanaian. Terracotta funerary head with pronounced eyebrows and nose. Such pieces are generally attributed around the year 1000. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 4 1/2" (11.4 cm)500
600. **WEST AFRICAN TERRACOTTA HEAD**, ca. 1000 AD. West African head, probably from Nigeria, funerary in purpose. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 2 3/8" (6 cm).....450
- PRE-COLUMBIAN**
601. **PRE-COLUMBIAN CHANCAY ANTHROPOMORPHIC PAINTED POTTERY VESSEL**, ca. 800-1200 AD. A male figure playing the flute, red-brown slip on a buff pottery vessel. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 4 1/2" (11.4 cm).....500
602. **PRE-COLUMBIAN CHANCAY ANTHROPOMORPHIC PAINTED TERRACOTTA VESSEL**, ca. 900-1200 AD. This terracotta vessel comes from the Chancay culture, which flourished in the central coast of Peru from about 1000 to 1500 A.D. It is a highly attractive piece, with an egg shaped body and a nicely stylized, flared rim. The vessel depicts a musician playing the flute, while small lizards adorn the shoulders and rim of the urn. It is in excellent condition with minor mineral deposits and no restoration. Damage to the piece is limited to the missing heads on

- two of the lizards. Ex Lester & Betty Guttman Collection, Chicago. Purchased in the 1960's. H. 16 1/2" (42 cm)1850
- MAPS**
603. **EUROPE SOUTHERN PORTUGALLIAE QUE OLIM LUSITANIA, NOVISSIMA ET EXACTISSIMA DESCRIPTIO, AUCTORE VERNANDO ALVARO SECCO, ET DE INTEGRO EMENDATA, ANNO 1600.,** By: Mercator / Hondius
- Date: 1623 (published) Amsterdam
- Dimensions: 13.3 x 19.5 inches (49.6 x 33.8 cm)
- This striking map of Portugal comes to us by the hand of engraver Baptista van Doetecum. With a westward orientation Portugal is displayed with exceptional detail as the country is color coded into four sections, showing important cities, villages, and an elaborate tributary system feeding the Atlantic. Three strapwork title cartouches adorn the map along with an elaborate compass rose, sailing ship, the crest of Portugal, and monstrous sea creature.
- Condition: Map is in B condition, with wide margins and lovely hand coloring. . 550
604. **EUROPE SOUTHERN HELLAS SEU GRAECIA SOPHIANI,** By: Jan Jansson
- Date: 1653 (published) Amsterdam
- Dimensions: 14.25 x 19.5 inches (36.2 x 49.5 cm)
- This is an authentic antique map of the Greece by Jan Jansson. The map was published in Amsterdam circa 1653.
- This striking 17th century map of Greece was based on "Totius Graeciae Descriptio," a large 8 sheet work by Nikolaos Sophianos, published in 1540. The map presents a fine distinction of the Greek territories form mythical times to the founding of the Roman Empire and establishment of Christianity. The map is embellished with a decorative distance scale and title cartouche featuring two armored soldiers.
- Condition: Map is in B condition, with a lower centerfold separation that extends 1 inch into the image. . 650
605. **EUROPE SOUTHERN ROMA VETUS,** By: Henri Abraham Chatelain
- Date: 1719 (published) Amsterdam
- Dimensions: 13.25 x 17.25 inches (33.65 x 43.8 cm)
- This is an authentic antique map of Ancient Rome by Henri Abraham Chatelain. The map was published in 1719 out of Amsterdam as part of Chatelains 7 volume Atlas Historique.
- Derived from earlier works by Braun & Hogenberg and Jodocus Hondius, this attractive copper plate engraving shows a bird's eye view of Ancient Rome with an eastern orientation. Within the fortified city, hundreds of buildings, churches, fountains, bridges, roads, and other place names are labeled or noted with a number. At lower right, an extensive key lists the location of every landmark within the map.
- Condition: Map is in A condition, with wide margins and lovely hand coloring. . 650
606. **EUROPE SOUTHERN SICILIA ANTIQUA QUAE SICANIA ET TRINACRIA DICTA,** By: Christopher Weigel
- Date: 1720 (published) Nuremberg
- Dimensions: 12 x 16 inches (30.48 cm x 40.64 cm)
- This is an authentic antique map of Ancient Sicily, by Christopher Weigel. It was published in Nuremberg for the atlas Descriptio Orbis Antiqui in XLIV in the year 1720.
- The map displays the island of Sicily, minor islands to the north, and the continent of Africa to the southwest. The map shows prominent features such as Mount Etna and boasts an insert of Syracuse, which is shown complete with major buildings and city walls.
- There is also a decorative vignette showing the likeness of ancient medallions towards the bottom of the map.
- Condition: Map is in A condition with original coloring and full margins. . 350
607. **ASIA MINOR BOSPHORE DE THRACE. VUE DE CONSTANTINOPLE DUE COTE DU BOSPHORE / AQUEDUC DE CONSTANTINOPLE / COLOMNE DE POMPEE,** By: Henri Chatelain
- Date: 1732 (published) Amsterdam
- Dimensions: 16 x 20 inches (40.6 x 50.8 cm)
- This is an authentic antique print showing Constantinople and other views from the

area by Henri Chatelain. The print was published in Chatelain's 7 volume "Atlas Historique."

The primary image is a bird's eye view of the ancient city of Constantinople from across the water. The view includes sailing ships with their reflections in the water and numerous buildings, some of which are labeled, such as the Palace of Constantine. The two smaller views show the Aqueduct of Constantinople and the Column of Pompei. On either side of the images, panels of French text describes the area in detail.

- Condition: Print is in A condition with full margins on clean paper and lovely hand coloring. Map has been professionally matted and framed . 450
608. **WORLD CHARTA COSMOGRAPHICA, CUM CENTORUM PROPRIA NATURA ET OPERATIONE.,** By: Petrus Apianus

Date: 1544 / 1553 (published) Antwerp

Dimensions: 7.5 x 10.8 inches (19 x 27.4 cm)

This is an authentic antique map of the world, by Petrus Apianus. This is the second woodblock cut for the world map in Apian's Cosmographia, published out Antwerp in 1553.

The map displays early 16th century knowledge of the world in a truncated cordiform projection. Much of the geographic information that makes up the map was based on a larger map of the world by Gemma Frisus, published in 1540, which has since been lost. The main differences from this second block example to the previous first block are the additions of Anglia and Scotia, and the word Europe has been leveled out.

Throughout much of the map, a lack of geographic detail is replaced by place names, and numerous vignettes of animals and natives. North America appears as an elongated peninsula that bears the title Baccalarium, which is a reference to the exceptional cod fishing off the north Atlantic coast of the new world. Just below is one of the earliest depictions of a Yucatan peninsula (as opposed to an island). South America features a vignette of natives with reference to their cannibalistic means of survival. The oceans are embellished with sailing ships and sea monsters.

The map displays an exceptional amount of decorative and allegorical detail. Atop are two deistic figures, one of which are wearing armor bearing the holy Roman double eagle and are believed to be a dedication to Emperor Charles V. The border is made up of constellations (right) and levels of climate (left). Surrounding the map, within a web of clouds are twelve wind-heads, three of which are presented with a cadaverous appearance, representing the southern winds believed to carry the plague.

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- Condition: Map is in A condition, with full margins and a nice impression. Some faint spotting is apparent in the image. . 4500
609. **WORLD NOVA TOTIUS TERRARUM ORBIS GEOGRAPHICA AC HYDROGRAPHICA TABULA,** By: Claes Janszoon Visscher

Date: 1652 (published) Amsterdam

Dimensions: 17.5 x 22 inches (44.5 x 55.9 cm)

This is an authentic antique map of the world, by Claes Janszoon Visscher with contemporaneous coloring. The map was published out of Amsterdam in the year 1652.

This later state of Visscher's 2nd world map was prepared upon the Mercator projection. Interestingly, there are few maps to this point that employed the more useful projection introduced by Gerard Mercator in his great wall map of the world in 1569. This map adopts a style similar to those used by Blaeu and Jansson in their world maps throughout the first quarter of the 17th century.

Visscher's map features geographical updates such as the recently discovered Hudson Bay as well as a St. Lawrence River that completely lacks any sign of the great lakes. Instead the source of the river is shown to be a small lake nearly 3/4 the distance across the North American Continent. Other geographic features worth noting include early signs of the Australian continent, false lakes within South America and Africa, and the Anian Strait between Asia and North America, pushing the idea of a Northeast Passage. Polar projections can be found at the lower corners and a cartouche with text regarding the history of America graces the top left portion of the map.

What's arguably most eye appealing about this map is the decorative border that surrounds it. Twelve Roman emperors are honored above and below the map from Julius Caesar to Domitianus. Flanking the map are 14 panels showing city views and various natives from the far reaches of the world. Finally, at each corner are allegorical figures representing the four continents of Europe, Asia, Africa, and America. Condition: Map is in C+ condition with some separations along center fold and border, all of which have been professionally repaired on the verso. Map displays lovely original coloring. . 19500







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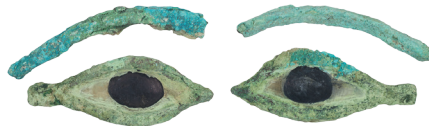
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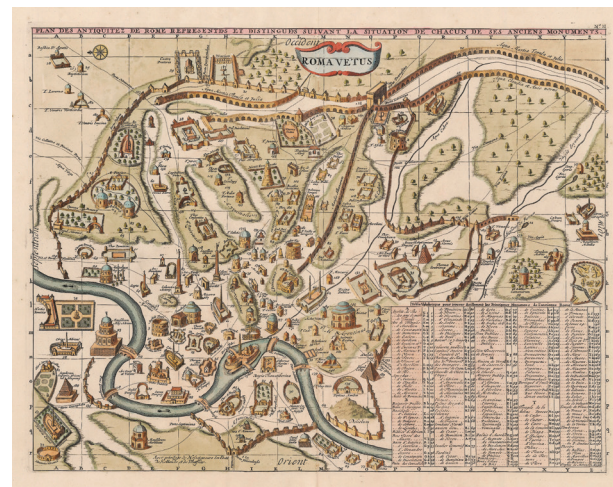
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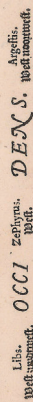
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